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EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

PENNSYLVANIA will vote for tariff every time.

CONGRESS will meet three weeks from next Monday.

INDIANA is Republican by 3,000 to 5,000 majority. Hurrah!

CANDIDATE WOLFE'S endorsement in his own county is not flattering.

THE approaching Thanksgiving will be a sad one for the Democrats.

THE Centre Hall *Reporter* publishes a rooster in honor of Gen. Beaver.

THE London churches are attended by almost 1,000,000 people every Sunday.

THE election of five Republican congressmen from Virginia would indicate that Gen. Mahone still lives.

IT is likely that the Democrats have concluded that James G. Blaine's visit to Pennsylvania did not make Democratic votes.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND, of the United States, and President Eliot, of Harvard College, are both Democrats, and both of them are Mugwumpish.

"THE positive decline and fall of the Democratic party can be dated from the November elections, 1886," remarks Editor Halstead in the Cincinnati *Commercial Gazette.*

THE 67,000 votes cast for Henry George, the labor candidate for mayor of New York, are startling. This is in excess of the number of votes cast for the Republican candidate.

WE believe the figures are about as follows: The Forty-ninth congress had a majority of 41 democrats in the House of Representatives and the Fiftieth congress will have about 17--possibly 20.

CARLISLE, Morrison and Hurd are a trio of free-traders who are now experiencing the evil results of their destructive heresy. The two last named gentlemen are surely defeated, and the first just pulled through by the skin of his teeth.

THE Harvard celebration began on Saturday last. It is the anniversary of the founding of that institution 250 years ago—the quarter millennium, as one of the orators expressed it on undergraduate day. We believe that Mrs. Cleveland was in attendance and of course the entire celebration was a feast of rich things.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND requested Harvard College not to confer the degree of LL.D. on him. He was sensible in making the request and Harvard will do well to comply. The title is or ought to be an honorable one and would be frightfully out of place on an individual of such slight mental calibre as the present occupant of the White House.

BELLEFONTE now proudly claims the distinction of being the only town in this state that has furnished two governors. Bellefonte is a great town and should have been the state capital.—*Gazette and Bulletin.*

Of course, it should. But, it seems to us that Bellefonte has furnished double the number of Governors you give her credit for. The road to distinction is easy for the citizens of this place.

AMONG the most deserving Republicans in this county are Messrs. Clem. and Al. Dale. It seems to us that the most desirable quality in any member of any party is his reliability--that he can be counted on when he is wanted. Who ever knew either Clem or Al to hesitate in their support of the Republican ticket? They vote and labor for it, and are always consistent. Such Republicans, it seems to us, deserve thorough respect.

THE Democratic representation in the present Congress is weak enough in the personnel of its members. The Republicans, though weaker in numbers in the House, never fail to get the advantage of their Democratic opponents. But what of the next House of Congress? Three leaders—Curtin, Morrison and Hurd—will not be there. The more insignificant members, who are not so powerful to do harm, are the only ones left.

Killed and Wounded.

The three leading casualties of Tuesday, of general interest, were the following:

JOHN GRIFFIN CARLISLE. This Speaker was picked up speechless when the back counties had been heard from. Came to last evening long enough to remark that he never for one moment suspected that it was loaded. His doctors say he may recover, but that he will never be as handsome or high-stepping as he was. Is being treated to hypodermic injections of sour mash. Is injured internally and it is likely that mortification will set in.

WILLIAM R. MORRISON. Compound fracture, pretty generally distributed over all of him. Explained to the Coroner, in his ante-mortem statement that if he had so much as dreamed that the buzz-saw was in motion he would have made other arrangements. Bump of statesmanship has suffered considerable reduction, horizontal and otherwise; and as in Carlisle's case there is danger of mortification setting in.

FRANK HURD. Thinks he would be able to identify the can of dynamite that hit him. Is in favor of incidental protection against the repetition of such outrages. Grew rapidly worse, last evening, on hearing an unfeeling Republican remark that free traders should be seen and not Hurd. The local medical fraternity think that he has lost or mislaid his head. Like Morrison and Carlisle, he is threatened with considerable mortification.

One of the most distressing incidents growing out of these three casualties is the appearance of the following exquisite but heartless ballad. The report crediting it to Professor William G. Sumner is probably unfounded:

THREE FREE TRADERS.

Three statesmen went canvassing out in the West,
Out in the West where the prairie rolls,
Each talked of the tariff with passionate zest,
And the people stood watching them at the polls;
For men must vote and booms be undone;
For there 'er few to elect and many to run.
Though the Free Trade crowd be moaning!

Three heelers went rushing the district through,
And their schemes were cunning and manifold,
They pulled much wire, laid pipes not a few,
But the weather set in most uncommonly cold;
For men must vote and booms be undone,
For there 're few to elect and many to run,
And the Free Trade crowd is moaning!

Three stiffs lay out in the autumn air,
'Neath the morning light, when the count was o'er,
And Cleveland is weeping and tearing his hair
For those who will never come back any more;
For men must vote and booms be undone,
For there 're few to elect and many to run,
And good-bye to Free Trade and its moaning!

—*N. Y. Tribune.*

A Teacher's Invention.

A new system of teaching little children to read has been invented by a young lady school teacher in Ohio. By means of marbles, buttons, toys and sticks, she is enabled to teach a child who does not know the alphabet to read in six days. Her system is novel, and while the child imagines that he is being amused and playing he is at the same time unconsciously acquiring the knowledge necessary to qualify him to read. The young lady that originated this plan of teaching is at present giving practical exhibitions of her skill and power in this direction, at Cincinnati. Not long since she was invited to lecture at a convention of educators on this subject. The other lecturers were men. They scouted the ideas of her pet theory. She bravely beat them in debating the question and to further prove that it is possible to do what she claimed, she allowed them to select a class of boys and girls ranging from five to six years of age, and sure enough in the specified six days they were, each and all, able to read. This is an innovation in the art of teaching, but should it prove practical in the hands of other teachers than the author of it, it will become an invaluable accomplishment that all teachers of beginners shall see the necessity of acquiring.

WHEN the nomination of James Knox Polk Hall, of Elk county, was made by the Democrats for Congress, the DAILY NEWS announced the fact that no nomination that could have been made would have fallen with more crushing effect on the Democrats themselves. The man whose sole equipment for such an office is money should not have been honored by any party for such high and responsible office. It was an insult to Hon. Andrew G. Curtin, who had represented the county so creditably for several previous terms. Again, when Gen. John Patton was made the nominee of the Republican party of the district we freely asserted that it was the best nomination that could have been made His purity and uprightness, his ability and experience made him a worthy successor to anyone. The sequel has proven the accuracy of those declarations and Gen. John Patton has been chosen to the Fiftieth congress. Such a triumph in a district so constituted is grand and Gen. John Patton has reason to take much pride in it. His previous congressional experience added to his natural and acquired qualifications will combine to make him one of the ablest representatives in the State.

A Pleasant Campaign.

The REPUBLICAN can truthfully say that it never experienced a more delightful political campaign than the one which ended on the 2d. It was attended, on the part of this paper, with nothing that is to be regretted or that can cause bad feeling. Throughout all of it our relations with the Republicans have been of the most agreeable character. The aid we attempted to give them and the pleasant words we said of them were an agreeable duty, because everything in their favor could be truthfully said. Not once during all the time were we called upon to make personal reflections or to indulge in other of the base charges which often disgrace politics.

The candidates of the opposition we knew to be gentlemen, but we at the same time knew enough of their *public* lives to criticise them, and that they were the candidates of the Democratic party was sufficient to further condemn them. *Private* affairs should not be dragged even into a political campaign and we always forebear doing so. Because a man represents a different party from ourselves is no reason why he is base and dishonorable. The fact that he does represent that party and that his connection with that party has not been such as to attract the respect of his constituents is enough to condemn him. By their records and the system of principles they represent they must stand or fall If this had been the issue of the contest, and slanderous charges had not been intruded into it from certain quarters, we have no doubt that the Democrats of Centre county would have been routed foot, horse and dragoon. We noticed with pleasure the immense Democratic majority thrown for such candidates as W. E. Burchfield, not many years ago, dwindle to the 31 of a majority which was given to Woodward in 1884, and confidently expected a complete overthrow this year. The circumstances were never before so propitious for the triumph. The Democrats had a weak county ticket, aggravated by a weaker congressional ticket, and then the fact of the Republican party having a candidate for Governor from this county, all were in our favor. We can profit by experience however, and, henceforth let us strike the vital issues and let no side issues distract us from moving forward unitedly to victory.

Yet another reason why we can look back at the campaign with extreme pleasure is because of the agreeable result it achieved. The election of Gen. James A. Beaver for Governor is a result that the entire town of Bellefonte can take pride in. Though some people in Bellefonte did vote against him they of course did so only because they were Democrats with whom it is second nature to vote for their party candidate. We believe that every man, woman and child in Centre county is glad that the General has been elected and now even those who voted for Mr. Black are more pleased that Gen. Beaver is elected than they would have been had Mr. Black been successful. They are pleased because Gen. Beaver is so especially worthy of the office. He is an excellent and useful citizen and they are sure that he will make one of the best Governors Pennsylvania ever had. Then it is a credit to every citizen of Centre county that a citizen of the county has been called to fill the high office. It is a new honor to a county rich with honors. The county has given at least four governors to the State—a larger number perhaps than any other community. William Bigler, who was Governor from 1851-54, was for a long time a citizen of this county and we believe he learned the art of printing in this town. Wm. F. Packer, the encumbent of the Gubernatorial office from 1857 to 1861, resided in the county and his descendents are still numerous hereabouts. The famous War Governor, Andrew G. Curtin--now representing this district in Congress—filled the office two terms--1861-67, and now Gen. James A. Beaver will add fresh laurels to Bellefonte's prestige in State affairs.

JAMES G. BLAINE'S has a good chance to obtain the next nomination for the Presidency.

In Honor of General Beaver.

GREAT BEND, SUSQUEHANNA CO., PA., Nov. 6, 1886.

Mr. Editor: I herewith inclose you a modest effusion, poetic or doggerel, "as you like it," intended as a slight token of regard to your distinguished townsman and Pennsylvania's noble citizen, Gen. James A. Beaver, our Governor-elect. Make such use of it as your judgment may determine, and consider yourself freely welcome. If adapted to your excellent columns, it may, perchance, kindle fresh fires of patriotism; if its words are more fitly spoken for the unapplauding auditory of the waste basket, then let the paper upon which it is written, if not "too thin" also, help kindle the baser flames so essential to physical comfort in the now increasing polarity of our northern atmosphere, and at the same time believe me ever sir,

Sincerely, fraternally and eternally yours,

SUSQUEHANNA COUNTY TO CENTRE: GREETING.

BY METT MCKUNE.

To ye, who at the Centre dwell
Of this fair State of ours,
I greet you here with asphodel
And other rhythmic flowers.

Culled, both from vale and wooded hill,
In Susquehanna's fields;
Mementoes of fraternal will
That happy fancy yields.

To you, whose beauteous fountains play
Translucent in the air,
I bring my offering, and pray
Glad welcome for it there.

Perchance, they may be humbly blent,
By skill of cunning hand,
With floral gifts more redolent,
Whose odors fill the land.

In fairest garland of your love
Bright crown of honor for—
Of amaranth and laurel wove—
Our valiant Governor.

To twine them in a modest way,
Grant me your kindly leave,
With the triumphal wreath, to-day,
Which you for Beaver weave.

Up here we grieve the fate of Black,
A mournful one, forsooth,
But that he rode a sorry hack
Is the flat-footed truth.

Then, in the easier race just run,
He was no match for Jim,
And second to Bob Pattison
Is meed enough for him.

Better that he now take a rest
From the quadrennial strife,
Or travel where no cares molest
An *occidental* life.

Poor Charley Wolfe, faint from the chase,
Unlike the weary ranks
Of Gideon, murmurs his complaint
Between Salt river banks.

'Twas plain, before the final choice,
His Prohibition boom
Must, by the ballot's potent voice,
Sink to an early tomb.

The platform where he lately stood,
Gigantic wrong to smite,
As clouds, seemed, in the distance, good.
But was not water tight.

For closer view made it appear
More like a homestead hut;
The planks, though grooved and jointed, were
Too shaky at the butt.

Our standard-bearer, at the front,
Is one who will adorn
The State, still highest in the arch,
As at the Nation's morn.

To him, its welfare and its needs,
We trust with loyal soul,
And follow, in the way he leads.
Up to a grander goal.

In closing, let me say to all
Nephews of Uncle Sam,
That level waters never fall
Behind a Beaver dam.

GREAT BEND, PA., Nov. 6 1886.

THE gentlemen who were the Republican candidates for the legislature this year have reason to be proud of the large votes they polled. So far as they individually are concerned, John G. Love, Esq., and George Guyer Mattern behaved honorably and conducted a brilliant canvass. That they were not elected is not their fault, and had it not been for the unfortunate features of the campaign they would be the representatives from Centre county and it would have been an honor to have such gentlemen in the State Legislature. They come out of the canvass with reputations unimpaired. Mr. Love is a brilliant lawyer and will yet gain a wide reputation, if not in politics, certainly in his profession. Guyer Mattern has superior business ability and as such his usefulness and influence will be felt just as potently as it could be in Harrisburg. Besides there are more opportunities for him in the future. The county loses the services of two able gentlemen and the gentlemen themselves lose nothing.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND has declined the degree of learned doctor of laws offered by Harvard College. While we can't say much for the learning displayed, the Democracy thinks he has done too much doctoring to the old Jacksonian law that to victors belong the spoils.

How They Take It.

Without attempting to disguise or ignore their defeat, in the loss of members of the House, the Democrats account for it in different ways. Some say it was the division of the offices, others, that it was free trade doctrines, or the failure of free trade legislation, and others still hold that the unpopularity of the Administration's Civil Service policy did the mischief.

Gossip had it that if Speaker Carlisle had failed of election, the President would have been asked to appoint Mr. Breckinridge of Kentucky to the Turkish mission, so that a vacancy might have been created for the distinguished Speaker of the House. But now that the great revenue reformer was one who got left, he is mentioned as the man to be Minister Plenipotentiary and Envoy Extraordinary to Turkey, in the place of Mr. S. S. Cox, who comes back to Congress, possibly to succeed Mr. Morrison as leader of the Democratic party in the House.

A WASHINGTON correspondent of this paper writes: "Washington has an opportunity now to double its population for a time, and probably to increase its wealth. I allude to what may be accomplished through the great exposition project. The governors, mayors, and business men throughout the States and Territories have written their consent to serve on a committee, the duty of which shall be to secure favorable legislation from Congress. They seem enthusiastic over the enterprise, and the time for them to meet here is the 7th of December. The programme to be considered at this convention is, first, a centennial celebration at the National Captial on March 4, 1889, by the sixteen American sister republics in honor of the 100th anniversary of the parent republic the United States. Secondly a world's exposition from May 1, 1892, to the end of October, in honor of the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America, by Columbus. And, thirdly, a permanent exposition at Washington of the antiquities, arts, history and industries of the three Americas, to be the out growth of the world's exposition of 1892 and to remain under government control, on a plan similar to the present National Museum, but on a much larger scale."

RUMORS are now busy concerning Gen. Beaver's appointments. We believe speculation on the subject is useless. More than that, we do not believe than anyone knows who will receive appointments. A very unpatriotic sentiment seems to give rise to such speculation. It is taken for granted that gentlemen who labored most earnestly for General Beaver's election will be honored with chief appointments. This is an insult to the aforesaid gentlemen. Is it not possible nowadays for men to do political work for love of party or love of a man? For such motives and not for personal preferment the friends of the General labored for him. They expect and desire nothing. They are well repaid that he is elected. Speculation as to who will be appointed to the principal positions in connection with his administration is out of order and unwise.

OF all the gentlemen on the Republican county ticket for whom no special fight was made Jesse Cleaver, of Unionville, ran best, or, in other words, there was the least majority against him Reifsnyder, his opponent, did not have as large a majority in the county as did Chauncey Black. This, we think, is quite a feather in the cap of Mr. Cleaver. It shows that the people have faith in him as a man and in his skill as a surveyor. Hereafter Mr. Cleaver will be recognized as one of the most prominent gentlemen in the Republican party, and as such always valuable to have around when county nominations are to be made or when land is to be surveyed.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND and bride are doing too much traveling on Sunday and also attending too many receptions on the same day to suit the straight-laced. "This evening another dinner party to which one hundred invitations were issued, was given by Mrs. Powell Mason in honor of Mrs. Cleveland," said a Boston dispatch of Sunday, the 7th. "A dinner party!" One hundred invitations!" and on Sunday, too! Mrs. Cleveland should have declined to attend and thus given an example worthy of emulation. What is more strange is that this happened in New England and during the anniversary exercises of a College.

GENERAL NOTES.

In Boston forty schoolhouses were used for polling places.

Harvard University celebrated its 250th anniversary on Friday.

As for the Susquehanna these days, it is said to be "blue with ducks."

Thin plates of metal in the back of books are a new London notion.

A Minneapolis man is building a $20,000 log house in the heart of the town.

Seventeen out of thirty-four candidates for alderman of New York were liquor dealers

A cat laid across a baby's face in Cincinnati the other day and smothered it to death.

On the Dalrymple farm in Cass county, Dak., 750 acres of land are being plowed over every day.

The dresses of a Western actress are described in a local paper as "poems," and very short poems, at that."

All the known French plays, since the earliest times, have been collected in Paris. They number 18,000.

The Mail and Express thinks there is nothing quite so artificial to day as New York fashionable hospitality.

Ex-Governor Berry, of New Hampshire, 91 years of age, has been making vigorous political speeches this year.

Mrs. Hannah Euston has left to Charleston a sum of nearly $400,000 for the purpose of making "old age comfortable."

Fragrant red ripe raspberries grown out of doors in November make a Wickliffe, O., gardener's palate feel as it did in June.

Menu cards representing Autumn leaves, with names written upon them in gold letters, are fashionable fancies of the season.

The report of continued miraculous cures at the shrine of Knock (Ireland) has increased the excitement and religious fervor in the west of Ireland.

A candidate for a teacher's certificate in Michigan the other day in a school examination wrote that there were two kinds of gender, "lady and gentleman."

The value of the parks, woods, gardens and squares of Paris figure in the inventory of the municipal domain, with 272,219,178 fr.; the superficial extent is 18,746,277 square meters.

Eugene Tyler, of Adairville, Ky., is so full of electricity that he can lay his hands on another man's shoulders and control him completely. He would make a good worker at the polls.

Out of 240 Democratic votes cast at Battle Creek, Mich., 60 bore the words: "Anti-Cleveland," while still another read: "Give us a Democrat who wears a coon-skin cap and woolen socks."

An artist's idea of dissolution—the miner's deserted cabins in places near Pittsburg where old mines or oil wells have been abandoned, doors wide open, window-panes broken, rooms empty.

Senor Terry, probably the richest man in Cuba, who died recently leaving $30,000,000, began his business life as a peddler, became rich, married a wealthy lady and kept on adding to his fortune.

Daniel Pratt, the "Great American Traveler," is out with a new lecture entitled "The Political Situation in Prussia and Mohametan, with a Glance at the Solar System, and remarks upon Blaine as a Poet."

Gen. Henry B. Carrington, of Boston, has presented to the library of Yale University the original manuscript of an address by the Rev. James Beebe, Yale class of 1745, to the soldiers he led to Canada in the French and Indian wars.

Mrs. Conseno, a South American, is the richest woman in the world. Besides her immense wealth, Mrs. Consenor also enjoys the sigular privilege of being empress over a tract of territory called Lota, which lies some 200 or 300 miles to the South of Valpariso.

Griswold Lorillard has declared war on the present style of dress suits, although they may now be embellished with white silk vests and pique shirt fronts. At the Tuxedo hall he appeared in a coat without any tail and a scarlet satin vest. The effect was dazzling?

The Patriarch of Jerusalem is thus described by one who has just paid him a visit: "He is one of the most kingly men I ever saw, meeting one's conception of King David's appearance in middle life (he is about 50 years old) very strong in every way, and tender-hearted and affectionate as strong.

Archduke Eugene, of Austria, met with a serious accident the other day. He prides himself on his equestrian abilities, and while giving an exhibition of his agility in the riding school at Guns he fell and suffered serious injuries. The Archduke is a brother of Queen Regent Christina, of Spain.

The body of Ann Cromwell, daughter of Richard Cromwell and granddaughter of the famous Protector, lies buried in an almost unrecognizable grave in the disused burial ground of St. George the Martyr, Holporn which is presently to be converted into a park. She was the only Cromwell born to the purple.

The eldest brother of the present Marquis of Clanricarde and his predecessor in the marquisate would, it is said, find fittest biographer in Zola. On his death bed he asked his doctor how long he would have to live. "Two hours." "Then wind up that music box on the table and keep it playing till I die." And he was a chip of the old block, as is the present Marquis.

A titled foreigner complains that Americans do not understand the method of address to lords. Some call one of these importations plain "Mr.," others say "Your Highness," and others "Your Honor." "Your Lordship" and "My Lord" are common means of address. But there are others, among the most sensible people, who say "Yes, sir," or "I'm glad to know you, sir."

Poetry.

GOD'S LOVE AND MINE.

God's love is like a light-house tower,
My love is like the sea;
By day, by night, that faithful tower
Looks patient down on me.

By day the stately shaft looms high,
By night its strong lights burn,
To warn, to comfort and to tell
The way that I should turn.

God's love is like a light-house tower,
My love is like the sea;
He strong, unshaken as the rock,
I chafing restlessly.

God's love and my love! Oh, how sweet,
That such should be my joy!
God's love and mine are one to-day;
No longer doubts annoy.

By day or night he gazes on
My bitter, brackish sea;
Forever tends it with His grace,
Though smooth or rough it be.

So, singing at its base, it rolls
And laps toward that tower,
That all my life illuminates,
And brightens every hour.

God's love is like a light-house tower,
My love is like the sea;
I, peevish, changeful, moaning much;
Steadfast, eternal, He.

THE BARTHOLDI STATUE.

From the Independent.

The land, that, from the rule of kings,
In freeing us, itself made free,
Our Old World Sister, to us brings
Her sculptured Dream of Liberty;

Unlike the shapes on Egypt's sands
Uplifted by the toil-worn slave,
On Freedom's soil with freemen's hands
We rear the symbol free hands gave.

O France, the beautiful! to thee
Once more a debt of love we owe;
In peace beneath thy Fleur de lis,
We hail a later Rochambeau!

Rise, stately Symbol! holding forth
Thy light and hope to all who sit
In chains and darkness! Belt the earth
With watch-fires from thy torch uplit!

Reveal the primal mandate still
Which Chaos heard and ceased to be,
Trace on mid-air its Eternal Will
In signs of fire: "Let man be free!"

Shine far! shine free! a guiding light
To Reason's ways and Virtue's aim,
A lightning flash the wretch to smite
Who shields his license with thy name!

JOHN GREENLEAF WHITTIER.

Oak Knoll, 10th Mo., 22d, 1886.

THE HAT MY FATHER WORE.

You are looking at my
daddy's old hat, Which for twenty
years he wore; His father before him
sported it For twenty years or more.
It was intended to hand it down
Straight on from sire to son, 'Twas
mentioned so in my father's will,
But I guess its day is done. You'll
notice its shape is a little odd, But
it was once in style. And its fur-
y nap and color of gray Would
be sure to make you smile.
'Twas strongly built, and there
isn't a dent To be seen in the
rim or crown, Which shows
the former proprietors had
No habit of painting the
town. It was never
mashed o'er election
news, Nor kicked in an
opera row, 'Twas gal-
lantly doffed to the
dames of old With a
grace that would now
appal. Its years en-
dear it. I will not wear it; For how would the
people roar to see me a-rig the old gray
hat My father and grandfather wore!

—*A. W. Bellaw in Detroit Free Press.*

Each sunny morn beh nd my chair she stands,
A heap of empty dishes in her hands,
And doth to earth my fondest yearnings dash,
By murmuring "Beefsteakcornbeefhash."

At noon again behind me doth she halt,
And with her bimpled finger smooth the salt.
Ah, how I hate to hear that awful squawk,
"Clamchowderroastbeefroastlambpork."

And then, when dewy eve once more has come,
Mikado airs doth she around me hum,
Unlike her dreary voice my tired ear greets,
"No thingtonightbutjustcoldmeats."

Our Story Teller.

GUY'S CHORISTER.

[Continued.]

"I do not know. You have never told me."

"And, if he knew, Guy would never forgive me for telling you now; but I feel impelled to make a clean breast of it once for all. Old Luttrell, as you know, became quite superannuated. I do not think he could have been a very brilliant musician at the best of times; but during the latter part of his reign our glorious organ mumbled and muttered as if it were as shaky and hoarse and scant of breath as he, while the choir-boys' performances were confined to cat's-cradle and a musical feat done with a bare cotton-reel and a pin. Naturally the congregation began to complain, their discontent growing at last so loud that the noise of it reached the dignitaries of the Cathedral. In solemn conclave they determined on old Luttrell's dismissal, and a resolution was taken to offer Guy the vacant place. How delighted he was I need not tell you. To have an organ under his command has been, ever since he lost this one, the dream of his life; but he would not consent until the committee promised to transfer his salary as pension to the old man. It was not that he did not need the money, goodness knows—for Guy is as poor as a church or cathedral mouse—but that, as he said, he could not deprive another of his daily bread while he could earn enough to keep himself without taking it. Though the news was broken as delicately as possible to old Luttrell, I believe he raged furiously, heaping all the blame on poor Guy's head. The matter of the pension was to be kept a profound secret, but some interfering person with, I suppose, amiable motives told him its real source, and his anger was redoubled. He is too mean, and perhaps too poor, to refuse the money; but ever since, with all the malignity of a small cowardly nature, he has hated the man who was kind to him; and he has said, and shows in every look towards him, that, if he can injure him, he will."

Fides shuddered.

"I could almost find it in my heart to wish, Theo, that Guy were utterly commonplace, and that we had him safely beside us."

Her companion laughed.

"And, paradoxical as it may appear, my dear, in that case you would quickly wish him back again."

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Guy Hallam sat alone in his lodgings. His room boasted no spare comfort; the walls were bare and the windows unshaded by curtains. The one handsome piece of furniture in it was a piano, and on it stood a large photograph of a young girl with irregular features and small slight figure.

On this summer evening Guy was in no state to notice his surroundings, whatever they might be. He sat with his elbows on the uncovered table, his face hidden in his hands. The daylight had almost ebbed away, and there was dusk in the room; but he heeded not the growing darkness. He was on the eve of failure in the dearest hope of his life, and was more miserable than he had ever been before.

He raised his head at last, and with a weary gesture put back the hair from his brow. He looked out at the glimmering twilight, and everything in life seemed like it, dim and dreary, ghostly and uncertain. With a heavy sigh he rose and lit a candle that stood near. Then he paused before the portrait that stood on the piano, and, looking intently at it, spoke as if the figure it contained were alive.

"You only know," he said, "how hard it is for me to have success within my grasp and fail. You only, from whom all my inspiration has been derived, can tell how high my hopes for the future have soared. Oh, it is ill to bear! Only yesterday I was dreaming such dreams, was building such fairy castles, and to-night they lie shattered beside me! Truly I think young Chatterton did wisely when he loosed himself from all his troubles and silenced the malicious tongues that slandered him by a pennyworth of poison. What does life hold worth having for me? Why should I waste my love on you, cold-hearted Fides, who took part with my grandfather against me, who inherited my inheritance—though Heaven knows I never grudged you that—and won the love of the old man I loved—you, who offer me charity, and would pass me by with averted looks if we met? Why—"

A timid knock at the door interrupted his reverie.

"Mrs. Pearman, I suppose," he muttered—"though it is not like her knock—or some other kind friend come to repeat to me that, because at last even my vanity has found my cantata unworthy of production, I have got rid of and probably murdered the proposed principal performer in it! Come in!" he added roughly, seating himself again by the table.

The door was gently opened, and the intruder stood shyly on the threshold.

Guy Hallam held the light high and surveyed his visitor. The feeble rays of the candle fell on the figure of a boy clad in tattered garments and broken boots. He had closely-cropped black hair, and from a dark-skinned face strangely bright eyes looked out. He stood timidly silent, his old cloth cap in his hands, one foot crossed over the other in boyish shyness.

It was not often that Guy Hallam was rough, either to children or distress; but he was in no kindly mood just then and he spoke hastily.

"What do you want?" he said. "You had better be off. If you have come to ask for work, understand that I have none for myself, and, if for charity, let me tell you that I am poorer than you, and have only enough to buy oblivion—the last and best necessity of life."

The boy seemed to start, then he spoke in a soft sweet voice.

"I do not come for charity, sir," he returned; "I am not so poor as I seem. I have heard you are in difficulty, and I want to help you."

Hallam looked at him again with surprise, and laughed bitterly.

"It will be the blind helping the blind, I fear," he said. "How should you, a young ragamuffin, be able to assist me, an older one?"

"Tell me what is wrong, and let me try," the sweet voice pleaded.

Guy paused a little, then smiled contemptuously.

"What fools we mortals be!" he mused. "We find talking to any audience better than soliloquising. So, as it will ease my mind, why should I not answer the question, and once more recount my wrongs?"

The boy stood patiently waiting; but in the interval he had given a searching though cautious glance round the barely-furnished room, which looked cold even on this summer evening.

"Know then, my," Guy began, with a melancholy attempt at mirth, "that my cantata—the cantata which was to be sung to-morrow in the Cathedral—is good honest work, and has, I swear, life in it. It was inspired by love; she looked at me while I wrote it; she approved, she corrected, and at last gazed through and through me with those dear eyes of hers, and said, 'Guy, it is excellent; and, when it is successful, you shall win me!'"

The candlelight, falling on the boy's face, seemed to whiten it curiously, and his brown hand shaded his eyes from the glare.

"I am a confounded fool to talk like this," the young composer continued, with some self-contempt; "but I have lived so long alone that I cheat myself into the belief sometimes that her picture is really alive, or that her spirit lives in it for me. What was I saying? Why should I ask you, my poor boy," he broke off, with a laugh, "you, who, I dare say, do not understand one-tenth of the words I speak or one-hundredth part of what I mean?"

"You were telling me of your music," the boy answered quietly.

"My music—right! I was telling you how I thought it was to make me famous, and how happy I was in dreams of to-morrow. Well, the dreams have faded away, as all dreams do, and I am left with ruined hopes and blighted prospects to comfort me."

"Will you not tell me more plainly what it all means, sir?" his young companion asked.

"I scarcely know myself my boy. All I can tell you is that the chorister who was to have sung the great solo part of it has disappeared."

"But how does that ruin you? Is there no one who can take his place?"

"You don't understand, child," the young man answered impatiently. "How should any one take his place at a day's notice? Even if there were one of the choristers who had voice for it, it would need weeks and months of training to make him sing it as it should be sung. I gave every moment I had to spare to teaching that boy, and now—Well, after all, it matter little. The great world knows and cares nothing about me, I suppose, and the small one will only laugh, and say I put him out of the way because I feared to produce my work. I don't care for them; but what is hard to bear is that she will believe it too, will think more than ever that I bartered my inheritance for a mess of pottage, and will, like the rest, condemn me as a vain egotistical fool whose boast of genius was but arrogance. Besides, if anything serious has happened to the boy—which Heaven forbid!—I may have trouble in the matter, and may as well make up my mind at once to leave the place that has been dear to me for so long. For here, in this little tattling town, where Justice Shallow reigns pre-eminent, though I am not likely to be killed by the law, I shall run every chance of being socially excommunicated and finally starved out in cruel earnest. No pupils will come to a man of whom it is whispered, as my enemy Luttrell, sneeringly sympathetic, told me only this afternoon, that it is strange the boy was last seen in my company and that it is awkward I had seemed so angry with him."

Through the dusky skin of his companion's cheeks a red glow burned.

"Do not add that to your troubles," he said quietly; "Mr. Luttrell knows where he has gone."

"Luttrell knows! The villain! Are you sure?"

"The boy's own mother told me so."

Guy made a movement as if to leave the room. His companion laid his hand detainingly on his arm.

"It is not of any use, Mr. Hallam," he said; "they would not tell you where they have hidden him, and, even if they did, he is sent too far away to be of any service to you to-morrow."

The young man sat down again in his old desponding attitude. He was presently roused by a gentle touch on the shoulder.

"Don't despair, sir," the boy added—and the words were spoken in so jubilant a tone that he looked up in astonishment, to see his companion's face flash into beauty with his words—"don't despair, sir, and with Heaven's help we'll triumph over your enemies. What I came to-night to ask is that you should allow me to fill the missing boy's place, and take the solo."

"You!" Hallam sprang from his seat in amazement, and, seizing the boy's shoulder, gazed deep into his clear eyes. "You!" he repeated, and then released him with a laugh. "Why, my boy, did you not hear me say that it has taken months to teach young Estwick the part? No, no; you are a kindly lad, but this is no simple hymn-tune to be sung at sight. It is the whole soul of the cantata."

"I know," the boy persisted. "I have heard it more than once. I am not a bad musician in a small way. My schoolmaster used to take a good deal of pains with me. Trust it to me, and I think I may promise to do it as well as young Estwick."

In spite of himself Guy Hallam hesitated. There was something reassuring in the boy's evident sincerity and confidence, and the rich tones of his voice themselves pleaded for him.

"At least let me hear you sing a few lines of it," he requested.

But the boy drew back and refused positively.

"No," he said; "if you accept my offer, I will do my best, and I think you will be satisfied; but you must take me on trust. Remember what you yourself said, that there is absolutely no one to sing the part, and consider that you waver between possible failure and positive defeat. Already I have stayed here longer than I ought; you must make your decision at once."

The young man stood for a moment in doubt, then he took a step forward and impulsively laid his hand on that of his companion.

"My boy," he said, "if I trust you, you won't deceive me? You don't know what depends on my success to-morrow. It will kill me if my work proves a failure, or, if it does not, I shall kill myself. This is not another trick to ruin me and break my heart?"

"No, no, sir!" the boy exclaimed hotly. "Give me your confidence, and I will lay down my life sooner than forfeit it. If I don't sing your music as it deserves to be sung, it won't be for want of doing my best."

The young man was quite carried away by the boy's enthusiasm.

"I believe you," he said, "and trust you with what is dearer than life to me. If we fail, I shall thank you all the same. And now, by-the-bye, what is your name?"

For a moment his companion looked as if the simple question embarrassed him.

"Harry Sisson," he muttered at last; and, before Hallam could interrogate him further, he had slipped down-stairs, and was lost in the night.

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The production of Guy Hallam's cantata was the most fashionable event which had taken place at Downbury for a long time. Amateurs of music who knew nothing about the new cantata—for Guy had worked in the strictest secrecy—spoke of it as being a work of marvellous genius and one which, notwithstanding its slender proportions, would take rank among the classics. Other musicians who professed to be well informed condemned it *in toto*, and would not grant it one redeeming point. Of these the ex-organist, the offended Luttrell, was the leader.

But friends and foes agreed as to their intention of hearing the first rendering, either to praise or to condemn. The novelty of its being produced for the first time in the Cathedral was an additional inducement to throng to witness it, and the comments were many on the foolish self-confidence or the proper trustfulness, according as the speakers viewed it, of the young composer who could submit his maiden effort to such a crucial test, with the knowledge that there could be no bursts of applause to carry away the public, but everything would be judged without the prejudice derived from enthusiasm, and in cold blood.

The day which was to be of such importance in Guy Hallam's life broke serene and beautiful, and, later on, deepened into perfection. The afternoon sunshine fell scorchingly on the multitude of people who wound their way through the old Cathedral close; but, as they passed into the long naves of the Minster, the brilliancy of the day was tempered by the long shadows that fell as the peace of the place fell on the spirits of the crowd.

The surpliced choristers were in their seats, and by the organ sat Guy Hallam, as white as death, but, now that the moment of trial was come, cool and resolute. He looked down at the crowded church; and presently he saw his sister enter. A hasty glance at his watch showed him that the appointed hour was almost reached. He turned round quickly, and saw that the place of the boy who had come to him on the previous night was empty. Cold drops gathered on his brow.

"I might have expected it," he muttered; and yet his heart was full of a surprise and disappointment he could not account for.

He turned again to his organ with a feeling of hopeless despair, and raised his hand to close the now useless score; but, as he did so, it was arrested by the light touch on his arm which had detained him before; and, looking up, he started, seeing that the chorister stood beside him. At the same moment a curious sense of recognition which had haunted him during their first interview became more marked, and for a second he seemed almost able to account for it; then it faded away.

"I must be out of sight of the people," the boy whispered. "Let me stand here—here, where I can touch you."

"As you like," Guy Hallam returned softly. Then he took the boy's hand again, and scrutinized him more closely. "Well," he said, "whether you succeed or fail, I shall always be grateful to you. But, oh, my boy, try hard! Pray to Heaven to help you, and don't forget that everything depends on you."

He seated himself before the organ as he spoke, and the boy took up his position beside him. With a grand swell of harmony the music poured through the old Cathedral, hushing the murmuring people and filling all the building with its loveliness. Then arose a chorus of boys' voices, which soared and fell and at last died away, leaving the organ again to take up the strain alone. It played a few simple chords of prelude and a voice began to sing.

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The boodler's march is written in one Sharp.

NATHANIEL'S LUCK.

We boys used to call him Nat, but he said his name was Nathaniel S. Niggler. We often asked him what the "S" stood for, but he never told us, and gradually we arrived at the conclusion that he did not know himself, but had merely added it because it was stylish to have a middle name. Nat lived at Mayberry, a small Maryland town, where he stood behind a counter and exchanged dry goods and other commodities for country produce, which latter was shipped to Baltimore, and turned into cash. Nat did not own the store but generously let the proprietor have his valuable services at a fixed weekly stipend.

At Mayberry, an enterprising printer had started a weekly paper—a small, sixteen-column affair, four columns to the page—which he filled with the usual assortment of reading matter: poem, a three-column story and several smaller articles, all clipped from some New York weekly. Nat was a constant reader of the Mayberry *Sentinel*, partly because the office of the paper was in the room above the store, and he could get a copy for a cigar (which cigar cost Nat nothing); and partly because he had little else to read.

One day, the *Sentinel* published an interesting story about a poor clerk, who was trying to keep a large family on a small income, and how hard he found it to make both ends meet year after year. This clerk's father-in-law was supposed to have been very rich, and to have hid the money before his death, but none of it could be found. At length when the poor clerk was reduced to the lowest extremity, and had retired for the night in a perturbed state of mind, the deceased gentleman left his abode in the lands of spirits, and presented himself, all ghostly and white, at his son-in-law's bedside; and, after waking him from a troubled sleep, bade him dig in a certain spot in the garden, and then promptly disappeared. The clerk thought it merely a dream—a very vivid one, though—and tried to forget it. He could not shake off its remembrance, however so he told his wife, and together they went to the spot named, and dug. They found ten bags of money, each bag containing five thousand dollars.

This is a synopsis of the story which ornamented the first page of the *Sentinel* on December 20. It made a strong impression on Nat's mind, who read it as a piece of news, and straightway began to institute a parallel between his clerk and himself. They were both in the same business; both married; both had large families (I wish to remark, parenthetically, that numerically Nat's family was not large, but individually it was; in fact, he had only one son, six months old, but Nat considered him equal to any family of ten sons and daughters in Carroll county); both had deceased fathers-in-law; both of these, previous to their decease, had settled a little house and plot of land on their daughters, and both fathers-in-law were supposed to have been a little cracked in the upper story. Nat carried his parallel much further, and arrived at the conclusion that his father-in-law must also have had some treasure in the back yard.

He read the story to his wife, and asked her what she thought of it.

"I think it's only a story," replied Selina.

"But don't you think your father may have buried some treasure in the garden?" persisted Nat.

"I think he never had any to bury;" and Salina began to get supper.

"How did he get this house?" asked Nat, following her up.

"He bought it and only finished paying for it a year before we were married."

"That's no reason why he shouldn't have made money in the three years following. What was he doing in Baltimore so much during that time?"

"I don't know," said Nat's spouse.

"Well, I have an idea that he was speculating in stocks and bonds, and that he made lots of money and buried it."

Selina would not believe it, but Nat went to bed that night quite excited, and in exactly the frame of mind to see any stray ghosts which might wander into his chamber. After much tossing about he fell into a troubled sleep, from which he awoke to see a white, unearthly-looking being standing at the bedside, and pointing at him with his substanceless forefinger. Nat recognized the ghost of his father-in-law, and wanted to ask him about the bonds, but he had no power of speech. At last the apparition spoke:

"*Look at page 204 of my journal*"

Then the ghostly visitant disappeared, and Nat recovered his power of speech, speedily woke Selina with the anxious inquiry where her father kept his journal. Selina did not know that the old gentleman ever possessed such a luxury; but if he ever had one it must be in the old trunk in the attic. He could not wait for day-light, but took a candle and commenced to ransack that trunk. He found a leather-covered book labeled "Journal" and turned nervously to page 204 where the following was written in pencil.

"*May 23d. To-day I have buried, between the cherry tree and the chicken-coop, the bon . . .*"

The rest was illegible. The pencil marks were entirely obliterated; but Nat's lively imagination supplied the letters "ds" to the last word. Then he danced wildly around the attic, bumping his head against the roof with a perfect disregard of shingles. His wife called out to know if he were crazy, and ordered him to return to bed.

"What did I tell you, Selina?" interrogated Nat; "the old duffer—I mean your lamented father—has buried no end of stocks and bonds at the foot of the garden." And he showed her the journal to corroborate his statement. Of course that convinced her, and she waited for morning with as much impatience as Nat.

At the first streak of gray in the eastern sky, the faithful pair began to dig. After removing two inches of snow they came to the frozen ground. Then it was hard work, but what mattered that when untold wealth was to be their reward. So they dug and dug, and came to a flat stone. With breathless expectation they raised it, and what a sight met their astonished eyes! Laid out neatly and carefully was the skeleton of a well known domestic animal. Selina fainted, and when she recovered, Nat was walking up and down in the snow, tearing his hair and using strong language. Then Selina remembered that the old house dog, Romeo, had been laid to rest under the cherry tree several years ago. The entry in the old man's journal (which old man was a little cracked in the upper story, as I previously remarked) probably referred to the animal's bones, instead of the United States bonds.

Nat has never yet found out what his father in-law was doing in Baltimore. —*Tid Bits.*

Talmage's Mishap.

One of the wet days recently the Rev. Dr. De Witt Talmage, Brooklyn's noted preacher, received a visit from a wealthy old lady who is one of his stanchest friends and admirers. When she rose to go the doctor, with his usual courtesy, accompanied her to the door, and noticing that the stone-steps were slippery, said: "Be careful, madam. You had better take my arm." The old lady took his arm, and instantly was seized with passionate regret, for the doctor's feet flew from under him and he and his companion tobogganed down the flight like lightning, bumping their bustles on every step with merciless emphasis. When they reached the sidewalk they rolled over and over each other in what looked like a Græco Roman wrestling-match. The doctor was first on his feet, and he helped the old lady up as best as he could; but he has a keen sense of the ludicrous, and, having seen that the partner of his flight was unharmed, he had gone off into fits of laughter. The old lady didn't laugh at all. She walked to her carriage as best she could and drove sadly away. Half an hour later one of her servants brought the following note to the doctor: "Mrs.——presents her compliments to Mr. Talmage, and desires to know if he was injured. She herself is unhurt." The answer was: "Dr. Talmage presents his compliments to Mrs.——, and is pleased to learn that she is uninjured. He himself hurt nothing but his dignity."

Lodemia Yielded.

"Good-night, Lodemia. One more please."

"Nat another one, Marcellus. You've had ten already."

"Haven't had but nine, Lodemia."

"Well, nine's enough."

"No, it isn't. You thought I had had ten, and I'm entitled to ten."

"I believe you did have ten."

"Lodemia, I solemnly assure you I had only nine. Give me one more and I will go."

"For the Lord's sake, Lodemia," came in accents of entreaty from an upper story of the building adjoining, as the bale head of a lodger was thrust out into the pale moonlight, "let the young man have it if he'll only go. I want to get to sleep some time to-night!"

The bald head was drawn in. A few hurried whisperings, a muffled sound as of mashed potatoes striking against a brick wall, and all was still, save the monotonous rasping of a katydid and the shrill defiance of a distant rooster.—*Chicago Tribune.*

When She Spoke.

She was a sweet-faced, blue-eyed young girl, with great waves of golden hair brushed carelessly back from a noble-looking, snow-white brow. Her ruby lips were full and sweet. Innocence itself was in her great blue eyes. Fair and sweet was she in all the purity and guilelessness of her fresh young womanhood.

Two young men had long been watching her with eager interest. Her glorious beauty had enthralled them.

"What a superb girl!" said one. "Never was lily fairer!"

"How I would love to hear her speak!" said the other. "No 'sweet bells jangled' could be like the words she must utter with such lips like those, and a face like that!"

She spoke. A friend came down the aisle, and said carelessly,—

"A cold day, Miss D——."

The full red lips parted slowly, the beautiful head turned with superb grace, a smile of seraphic sweetness illuminated the noble features; soft and sweet was her artless answer,—

"Well, I should smirk to twitter! Cold ain't no name for it!"

They Never Listened.

In one of the telephone circuits in the western part of the city, where four subscribers use the same line, one of them was called up the other day by the second on matter of business. "You say you paid me $2 per yard?" queried the first, "No I didn't say exactly." But my wife wants to know; give me the exact figures." "I will the first time I see you." "But why not now?" Because Mrs. L., who is on the line, is always listening at her telephone to hear what the rest of us say, and my wife doesn't want her to know." Oh, that's it; I thought you might be afraid of Mrs. B; that's one of her tricks, too, though I guess both of 'em are away to-day goodby." "Hold on there!" called a voice as the trumpets were about to be lowered; "I am Mrs. L., and I want to tell you men that you state a deliberate falsehood when you say I listened; you are no gentlemen, and my husband shall make you apologize." "And hold on some more!" called a second voice; "I am Mrs. B., any one who says I listened to other people's talk has got to prove it in Court; make up your minds to hear from me!" Four trumpets were carefully lowered from four ears and hung up on four telephone boxes, and deep silence brooded o'er the land.

A Pretty Girl's Romance.

Search is being made in the office of Register of Deeds in this country, says a Milwaukee telegram of Monday, for a birth certificate on which hangs the happiness of a beautiful and talented young lady, who was formerly a resident of Milwaukee. She was born of humble parents, but her extraordinary beauty attracted the attention of a wealty East side lady, who provided for the family and adopted the child. She was given a liberal education. Even as a child she showed great musical ability. This talent her foster-mother had developed by the best teachers. While in the full tide of prosperity the foster-father found himself on the wrong side in a stock speculations, and attempted to save himself by obtaining money fraudulently. For this he was sent to State's prison. The foster-mother and daughter went abroad, where the latter was to study for the stage.

While in Italy the young lady attracted the attention of a distinguished Italian gentleman, and a love match followed. The pair were to have been married this month. A few months ago the young lady sent for her baptismal certificate, in order to comply with the forms in vogue regarding civil marriages. This was sent. A few weeks ago a second letter came, asking that the birth certificate also be sent, as the marriage could not proceed without it, and the wedding had been postponed until New Year's. Friends began a careful search for the purpose in the office of the Register, where the law provides it shall be filed, but thus far without success. It is now believed that there is nothing for the prospective bride and groom to do but have their wedding celebrated in some country where the requirements are not so strict. At present the mother and daughter are traveling in Spain.

All Sorts.

The Chicago magazine is called Literary Life in a Pickwickian sense. It has little literature and less life.

Colon is the name of a Michigan town probably one that does not settle very fast, as people never make a full stop at a colon.

A contemporary has a long article entitled "Our Future Fuel." It has always seemed to us that it is far better not to anticipate the great unpleasantness.

The meanest man so far on record lives in this city. His wife asked him to give her a pet, some animal that would stick to her, and the next evening he brought home a leech.

"There comes that life insurance agent again!" exclaimed a Wall street broker as he stood at a window in his office this morning. "To see you?" "Yes. He's bothered the life out of me for the last six months to take a policy." "My dear sir, you have encouraged him at the start." "Well, I guess I did. He asked me for a light for his cigar, and I gave it to him. It will be a valuable experience to me."

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A Macon, Ga., correspondent of the Atlanta *Constitution* writes: A couple of prominent young men of this city tell of a very amusing practical joke they played on Saturday night. They reside at a large and well known boarding house in this place, and among the guests are quite a number of charming young ladies. As elsewhere the absorbing theme of conversation has been "earthquake," and the two men in question have been the subject of indignant criticism because they had not experienced the various shocks that pervaded the more susceptible forms of the young ladies, and, consequently, had their doubts about the existence of the same, further than in imagination.

Each succeeding morning the conversation of the breakfast table was embellished by the details of another "night of horror," until the young men grew "weary," and resolve to relieve the exhausted imagination of the guests by treating them to a real genuine earthquake. They arranged their plans accordingly, which they carried out as follows:

By 11:30 o'clock the house was wrapt in slumber. One of the young men roomed up stairs, and in sock feet came down to report the repose that reigned supreme above. In a like negligé costume his accomplice responded. They had provided themselves with sulphur matches, so that no noise would be made, and, lighting a candle, they armed themselves with a couple of eight-pound dumb-bells and repaired to the parlor, the place agreed upon for the enactment of the tragedy. One placed himself at one end of the room, where he could shake the folding doors communicating with the sitting-room, while the other volunteered to "raise the natives" by his performance on the front windows. Each provided himself with various pieces of bric-a-brac, which he was to throw at opportune moments, and then all was ready.

The rumbling sound supposed to precede the shock was produced by rolling the heavy dumb-bells rapidly across the carpeted floor and a more hideous sound earthquake was never guilty of uttering. Then arose a violent agitation of the folding doors, which shook the whole house, and a deafening clamor of the front windows, which communicated the sound to the upper windows, while the sound of falling bric-a-brac rung the death-knell of domestic bliss in the heart of the mistress of the house.

An intermission of several seconds was then allowed, and subdued voices were heard throughout the house. Again the awe-inspiring rumbling was recommenced, followed by the most heartrending of shocks, lasting several seconds. This was "endurance vile," and hasty leaps were heard overhead. The villainous youths had only time to hastily close the parlor door and place themselves in position to look through the crack before they were paralyzed by the appearance of the image of Venus at the head of the stairway. She stood irresolute for a moment, her eyes sparkling with startled brilliancy, her luxuriant mass of hair, loose and flowing over exquisitely shaped shoulders, while a form of indescribable grace openly mocked the flimsy idiosyncracy of lace and linen that jealously sought to hide its beauty. As she stood in the mellow gaslight, shed by the tall chandelier, it seemed to the startled gaze of the young men that her form was enveloped in phosphorescent glow. With a subdued cry, she nimbly sprang down stairs, while the bashful youth actually held their breaths in utter dismay. Figures of Juno, Minerva, and forms that even mythology does not attempt to describe, quickly made their appearance until the gentlemen found themselves enraped by an enchanted dream and stood as dumb and motionless as stone statues. Trembling fingers drew the fastenings of the door, and the angelic visions stood in readiness to take the sudden leap for liberty at the first appearance of the quake. The quake was too gallant to reappear, and the chilly night air brought a bewitching shiver over the array of pretty and dainty shoulders. Adjournment was declared in silvery tones, and the nymphs tremblingly retraced their steps to their fatal bedchambers.

Long after the last snowy foot had disappeared around the head of the stairway, the youths stood transfixed and motionless. Consciousness at last returned to one of them, and he sought to awaken reality upon his companion. In vain he pinched and softly pleaded, until in desperation he dropped one end of a dumb-bell on the unoffending toe of his fellow-conspirator, which brought out a howl of pain. He quickly subdued the pain by stuffing his handkerchief down the throat of his enraged companion, and after some expostulation and sundry oaths the meeting adjourned sine die.

The explanations and experiences expressed at Sunday morning's breakfast would have convinced the most intolerant believer, and the boys found it expedient not to explode the deception that had been practiced upon the household, as personal safety would have been at its ebb. So this is the first time that the mystery of Saturday night's earthquake has been explained.

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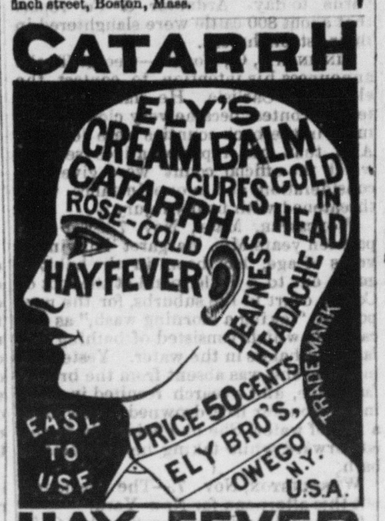

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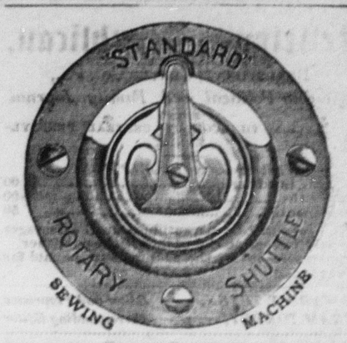

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Special dispatches received to-night from Walterboro, Greenwood, Chesterfield, Lawrens, Abbville and other points in the state indicate that the shock today at the places above mentioned was more severe than in Charleston. At Walterboro it was so severe as to make the people rush into the streets and cause a circuit court to adjourn without ceremony. To-night all is quiet in Charleston and confidence is restored.

Indiana's Legislature.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., November 4.—No positive statement can yet be made about the legislature. Governor Gray said that while the present returns, if continued in the ratio of republican gains would elect the republican state ticket, but it would require the official count to determine whether the republicans or democrats had carried the legislature The republican state central committee says that basing claims upon the returns from more than one-half of the counties, the republicans will elect their state ticket by 3,000. That the legislature is in doubt is conceded. The republicans expect to gain it and the democrats hold on tenaciously to the claim that it will be anti-republican by from two to five majority. The congressional delegation is unchanged since yesterday,and stands republicans 7, democrats 6, republican gain of 3.

INDIANAPOLIS, November 4.—It will take the official vote to decide the standing of the legislature. The democrats claim it by two majority and the republicans by six. The News this afternoon publishes a list, not official, giving the republicans two majority. There is no change in the congressional delegation. Holman's majority is about 700. The republican state ticket is elected by not less than 3,000.

Freight Trains Collide.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 5.—A terrible wreck occurred on the Cincinnati, Washington and and Baltimore railroad at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon at Symme, 2 miles miles west of Loveland. Eastbound freight No 16 collided with the westbound local freight Nb. 25. The trains met on a curve and were almost together when discovered. Engineer Brown saw the westbound train coming and called for brakes, reversed his engine and called to his men to jump.

The crews of both trains escaped by jumping, with slight hurts, except Al. Mussulman, of Martinsville, front brakemad of No. 26, who failed to jump in time and was lost in the crash. His body has not yet been found. The engines met with almost full force, rose together and fell over in a cornfield. They were followed by twenty cars, all of which are a total wreck. The cars took fire, but were extinguished. Trains were delayed until midnight, when transfers were made. The accident was caused by improper orders.

Office-Seekers Keep off.

WASHINGTON, November 4.—The following announcement was issued at the White House to-day:

The President finds it absolutely necessary to the proper performance of public duties that the time between the 10th of November and the next meeting of Congress should be at his disposal free from interruption. Within this period he will be obliged to deny himself to visitors except upon actual public business of importance. This will not be construed to include applications or recommendations for office.

This notification is given to the public thus early to dispose in advance of the plea that a trip to Washington has been made in ignorance of the President's arrangement. The usual public receptions at half-past 1 o'clock on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays will be continued.

A Government Vessel Foundered.

NEW HAVEN, November 7.—It is reported here that the United States steamer Manhattan foundered about 9.30 this morning, two and one-half miles off this harbor, and sank immediately,carrying with her all on board. The cause of the accident is not known. It is supposed the crew numbered twenty-five men.

The Manhattan is a revenue cutter. The chief of revenue marine says: She was a staunch screw steamer and carried a crew of twenty-five. She was commanded by Lieutenant F. Tozer, who is regarded as one of the ablest officers in the service, and it is the opinion of the Chief of Revenue Marine that she could not have foundered unless as a result of an extraordinary accident. The other officers of the cutter were Second Lieutenant W. S. Holland, executive, officer, Third Lieutenant, J. C. Hains; Engineer, James Ogdon and Assistant Engineer, Willets Pedrick.

The Manhattan left New Heven this morning. The wind was blowing a gale, and a tremendous sea was running. William King, of Oyster Point, watched, her, and noticing that she labored heavily ran to the telephone and tried to notify some of the tugs in the harbor When he returned the Manhattan was still visible. Three minuites later she had disappeared and the King is of the opinion she went down with all on board. There is no way of positively confirming the idenity of the vessel to-night or to obtain full particulars.

The Cold Blasts.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 6.—Snow fell here this morning, but it melted as soon as it fell.

CLINTON, Ill., Nov. 6.—The first snow of the season in this locality fell here last night. The storm lasted some little time, but not a great amount fell. Should snow fall in any great quantity at present considerable damage would be done.

EFFINGHAM, Ill., Nov. 6.—The first snow of the season, to a depth of 2 inches, fell here last night.

INDIANAPOLIS, Nov. 6.—Shortly before midnight last night the rain and sleet turned to snow, and this morning the ground was covered by a mantle of four inches. The fall was very heavy while it lasted.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 6.—Snow began falling here about 3 o'clock this morning, but melted as fast as it fell, except on the hilltops, where the ground was covered to the depth of an inch.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 6.—Snow fell at short intervals all this morning, but melted as soon as it fell.

DETROIT, Nov. 6.—Half an inch of snow fell during the night, but disappeared when the sun rose.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Nov. 6.—The first snow of the season in Buffalo began early this morning and continued falling steadily through the forenoon. The snow fell to the depth of two inches on the level, but melted rapidly, causing a vast quantity of slush in the streets.

AUBURN, N. Y., Nov. 6.—It commenced snowing here about 2 o'clock this afternoon.

WATERTOWN, N. Y., Nov. 6.—Snow commenced falling at half-past 10 o'clock this morning and is now falling rapidly in large flakes. This is the first snow of the season here.

The Manhattan Didn't go Down.

BOSTON, November 8.—The reported loss of the revenue cutter Manhattan, off New Haven, yesterday, created considerable excitement here, and much sorrow was expressed over the untimely fate of her crew. There was a sudden change of feeling, however, when Captain Hallett, of the steamer H. F. Dimer, reached here this morning and reported tthat at 12.30 p. m. yesterday he saw the United States cutter Manhattan passing through Plum Gut all right.

The above news was speedily confirmed by the following dispatch from Greenport, Long Island: The revenue cutter Manhattan which was reported lost, arrived here yesterday afternoon and left to-day on another cruise.

WASHINGTON, November 8.—12 m.—Mr. Peter Bonnett, chief of the revenue marine bureau, treasury department, has just received a telegram from A. E. Bateman, of New York, reporting the safe arrival of the revenue cutter Manhattan at Greenpoint.

Donavon Jumps Again.

NIAGARA FALLS, November 6.—Lawrence Donovan, who some time ago jumped from the Brooklyn bridge, jumped from the new suspension bridge this morning. His jump was witnessed by four or five persons. He was accompanied by Professor Haley and Drew, a reporter of Buffalo. He made the jump successfully. The distance is 190 feet and he went straight down feet first. He came up somewhat dazed, struck out for the boat in which were Drew and Haley,was taken in and stimulants were given him. He is not seriously injured. One rib is probably broken and his hip is bruised. He said before he got out of the water that he would not jump again for a million. Afterwards he said he would jump next summer for a thousand dollars. That he wanted to jump at Rocnester and then quit business.

All 24 Hour Bicycle Records Beaten.

BOSTON Nov. 6—The success of Alfred A. McCurdy, the Lynn bicycle club, in his 24 hour run, which ended at 9 o'clock this morning, was remarkable. He made a total of 305 miles by actual measurement, thus passing ahead of the English road record of 294 miles and best American record of 301¼ miles made by Whittaker in Indiana a few weeks ago. The run was over a surveyed fifty miles course through Waltham and Newton to Wellesley, thence to Brighton and back to Waltham, the starting point. He also beat the 150 and 200-mile records in the course of his run, which was made on a 48 inch light roadster. He was in good condition at the close.

Tired of Life.

NEW YORK, November 6.—Dr. Ralph L. Stone committed suicide yesterday in Brooklyn by shooting himself in the right temple in his room at the King's county hospital, Brooklyn. He was a young man and employed as assistant physician at the hospital for the past two weeks. Lately he had become despondent because he labored under the impression that he was not qualified for the duties of the office he held. He was a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and relative of Medical Director Spear, United States navy, who has charge of the laboratory of the navy yard.

A Tramp's Revenge.

MARLBORO, Mass., Nov. 7.—Stephen Macomber, a farmer of this town, refused to harbor a tramp Friday night and drove him away, using harsh words. As the tramp left he said: "You'll be sorry for this, and if you don't hear from me before morning I'm a big fool." At four o'clock Macomber was awakened by the crackling of flames and had just time to get his family out of the house when the roof fell in. All his buildings were consumed. Loss, $2,000. He and the neighbors are trying to find that tramp.

Canada.

OTTAWA, Ont., November 5.—General Middleton, commander of the militia of the Dominion, in his annual report will recommend that the gattling guns now held by A and B batteries be transferred to two of the infantry schools, and that additional gattling guns be purchased to supply one to each infantry school. He believes after a thorough study of the American weapon it could be made serviceable in the hands of the militia.

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Do you want a cheap shawl?
Come and buy of us.

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Dress goods, Flannels, shawls,
Skirts, Knit Hoods, Cashmeres, cheap Plaids, good Plaids,
Come and buy of us.

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Do you want good Jerseys?
Do you want cheap gloves?
Do you want good gloves?
Do you want cheap corsets?
Do you want good corsets?
Do you want cheap Hose?
Do you want good Hose?
Do you want children's Wool Hose?
Do you want Ladies' good or cheap Wool Hose?
Do you want Knit underwear? Red underwear,
Come and buy of us.

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Do you want a cheap shoe?
Do you want a good shoe?
Do you want a fine shoe?
Do you want a dressy shoe?
Do you want a warranted shoe?
Do you want a French Kid shoe?
Do you want an old lady's soft shoe?
Do you want a child's shoe?
A Misses' shoe?
Come and buy of us.

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Do you want a child's suit?
Do you want a boy's suit?
Do you want a school suit?
Do you want a youth's suit?
Do you want a man's suit?
Do you want a real cheap suit?
Do you want a good heavy suit?
Do you want a Dress suit?
Do you want a fine suit?
Do you want any kind of a suit?
Come and buy of us.

Lyon & Co.

Do you want a coarse boot?
Do you want a fine boot?
Do you want a dress boot?
Do you want a working boot?
Do you want a child's boot?
Do you want a boy's boot?
Do you want a youth's boot?
Come and buy of us.

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Do you want a flannel shirt?
A cloth shirt?
A well-made shirt?
A good fitting shirt?
Come and buy of us.

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Briefs.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 7.—The governor has received a communication from Secretary Newlin, of the constiutional convention of 1873, advising him that every railroad company in the State is daily violating the article of the State constitution prohibiting the granting of free passes and requesting the governor to cause an application to be made in the name of the commonwealth to the court of common pleas for an injunction restraining all companies from issuing passes.

WASHINGTON, D C., Nov. 7.—It is stated on authority that the opinion given by the attorney general as to the unavailability of the called three per cent. bonds as a basis of national bank circulation will make no change in the attitude of the treasury department, because this opinion only confirmed the rule heretofore made.

CHICAGO, Nov. 7.—There was no disturbance worthy of mention at the stock yards to-day. Ardmour & Co. report that about 800 cattle were slaughtered in their establishment.

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 7.—George Thobe announces his intention to contest the election of Carlisle. He claims that after the contest became very close the returns in the back counties were doctored Also, that his representatives sent to watch the official count were given no consideration, and in one instance were threatened with bodily injury.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 7.—For the past ten years Mrs. Margaret Kirwin, 57 years of age, has been in the habit of going out to a little pond at the foot of Corson court in the suburbs, for the purpose of "taking a morning wash," as she called it, which consisted of bathing her face and hands in the water. Yesterday morning she was absent from the breakfast table, and a search resulted in finding her on her face, drowned in less than a foot of water. She had evidently pitched forward while taking her customary bath.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 7.—The President left this afternoon for New York.

CHICAGO, Ill., November 8.—The Chicago packers have declared war upon all labor organizations and this afternoon signed a resolution declaring that hereafter none of them would employ any man connected with any such organization.

NEW YORK, November 8.—Mrs. Rodway, who was shot by her husband in Central Park to-day, is not dangerously hurt, her corset having stopped one of the bullets, and the other lodged in the muscles of her back. Rodway is subject to fits of insanity.

ROME, N. Y., November 8.—Eight inches of light snow have fallen here within the past twenty-four hours.

CHICAGO, November 8.—Congressman Frank Lawler, democrat, is re-elected in the Second Illinois district.

CHARLESTON, S. C. November 8.—There is no doubt of the election to congress of Col. William Elliot of the Seventh district.

CHICAGO, Nov. 8.—All is quiet in Packingtown to-night. No disturbances occurred during the day and there are no grounds for fears of any during the night. The strikers express satisfaction at the arrival of the militia.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 8.—Rev. Father K. Lawtor, pastor of Phalomenas' Catholic church, was assaulted and knocked down in the pulpit this morning while saying mass by an insane Bohemian. He was not seriously injured.

WACO, Tex., Nov. 8.—J. L. Barton, editor of the Daily Examiner, has sued A. H. Belo & Co., of the Galveston News, for $500,000, and the Waco Alliance-Standard for $25,000, for alleged libel. The suits grew out of charges of corruption in the political campaign. Mr. Barton's paper supported the candidate for Senator Coke and Governor-elect Ross for congress and opposed Roger Q. Mills.

ST. PAUL, Min. November 8.—The Pioneer Press has official returns from all the counties in the state, making McGill's majority 2,314.

Cleveland at Harvard.

BOSTON, November 8.—President Cleveland is in Boston and at Harvard college for the first time. This morning he had honors official, and the honors classical, and this evening, the salute popular. The presidential train arrived at Springfield at 3.05 a. m. Adjutant General Dalton, of Massachusetts, with General Holt and General Nettleton, had gone from Boston at 7 o'clock last evening, taking a special car, Major Capell, Lieutenant Heaton, Corporal Chase and six First Corps cadets, the detail sent by the state to guard the president as soon as he entered the state. Lunch was served at Worcester in the state car, but the occupants of the president's car did not arise to partake of it.

Governor Robinson extended the President a formal welcome to the State. The exercises in the evening included an oration by James Russell Lowell and a poem by Oliver Wendell Holmes.

At the banquet there was gathered another array of distinguished men and the scene presented was one calculated to leave a lasting impression upon the minds of those present. President Cleveland sat behind a large bank of roses and crysanthemums with Secretary Bayard on his right and Governor Robinson on his left. There were twelve hundred persons seated at the long tables and then all had not been accommodated.

The President made an address and was followed by Secretaries Bay ard, Lamar, Whitney and Endicott.

Roumania Next.

SOFIA, Nov. 8.—The czar has telegraphed to General Kaulbars, directing him to convey his thanks to those Bulgarians who show a desire to comply with the imperial counsels.

General Kaulbars has caused a report to be widely circulated that Prince Ferdinand, of Hohenzollern, will shortly be proclaimed successor to the King of Roumania.

Russian iron-clad Mercure has arrived at Bourgas, the scene of the recent revolt, and is at anchor in the harbor.

The Russian Captain Nabokoff, the leader of the revolt at Bourgas, has been arrested by the Bulgarian authorities.

Gay Gets Five Years.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 8.—Samuel K. Gay, the defaulting chief pension clerk who plead guilty to twelve indictments for embezzlement and forgery, was sentenced by the United States court to-day to five years' imprisonment in the western penitentiary. He was only sentenced on one count, the others being held over. The defalcation amounted to about $10,000.

The Strikers Quiet.

CHICAGO, November 4.—There were no further strikes at the stock-yards this morning, although it is intimated that the men at the other houses besides Swift's and Morris' may go out, as many of them are dissatisfied at being compelled to work ten hours. Swift and Morris continue to ship cattle to the east to be killed, and the former has a strong force of men at work. The strikers are quiet, and the only act of violence on their part was an attack last night on Henry Levy and Nelson Morris, his nephew, who were beaten almost to insensibility on Forty-third street viaduct. Swift and Morris have signed the agreement against the eight-hour day. The former will import, it is said, expert workmen from Boston and other eastern points.

Eloped with a Colored Coachman.

NEW YORK, Nov. 8.—Sarah Comstock, the handsome 20-year-old daughter of John Comstock, a New York broker, residing at South Orange, N. J., has eloped with her father's coachman, a mulatto about her own age.

She left a note for her father saying that "Archie," the coachman, was her sweetheart and that she was going to marry him. Miss Comstock had had very little company, her father being somewhat strict, and her mother having died while the girl was yet a baby.

Quiet at Chicago.

CHICAGO, November 9.—With the exception of the mysterious shooting at one of the deputy sheriffs this afternoon,the day at the stock yards has been uneventful. There are between 3,000 and 4,000 men at work and there was very little disorder. The strikers eagerly discussed the resolutions of the employers not to allow any men to return to work on any terms or for any number of hours unless he had foresworn his organization.

Mr. Barry has a dispatch from Powderly in which the general master workman repudiates all interviews on the strike and offers to send assistance to the representatives of the executive board here if he needs it. The railroads are helping the packers in every way, as a speedy close of the strike is of the greatest possible moment to them. All roads coming in here are offering to bring workmen here and return them free of charge in case they are dissatisfied. At Armour's down-town offices about fifty men were out in the hall waiting for transportation to the house at the yard.

About 100 carpenters quit work at Swift's to-day. A short time ago the firm gave them an advance of 25 cents a day and nine hours work. They stopped to-day, however, and joined the ranks of those fighting for eight hours.

PHILADELPHIA, November 9.—General Master Workman Powderly when questioned to-night by an Associated Press reporter relative to the beef and pork butchers' strike in Chicago, simply said that A. Carlton, a member of the executive board, had been sent to that point to join Barry. Powderly said he had no further information to impart regarding the Chicago trouble; that his knowledge of affairs there was obtained merely through brief telegrams and not being on the ground he would refrain from giving his views of this strike.

Three Fatal Explosions.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., Nov. 9.—An explosion occurred at the Forcite powder works at Lake Hopatcong this afternoon. One man was killed and five others seriously injured.

PITTSBURG, Pa., Nov. 9.—The large fly wheel in the Clinton rolling mill burst this morning, scattering fragments in all directions and instantly killing Michael Burns, a workman.

DUNBAR, Pa., Nov. 9.—The boilers at Bliss, Marshall & Co.'s brickyard exploded this morning, killing Miss Tillie Campbell and seriously injuring Mr. Perry Gaddiss.

The attention of our readers is directed to the advertisement of Munn & Co.,patent solicitors,in another cloumn. Their name is familiar to patentees throughout the country. In connection with the publication of the Scientific American for the past forty years, they have made the drawings and specifications for more than one hundred thousand inventions, and their facilities for obtaining patents were never better than now.

—One of the largest audiences we ever saw in Humes' Hall assembled Tuesday evening to hear Dr. Peebles. The entertainment and lecture were so interesting that perfect quiet was maintained throughout the evening, and people regretted when the entertainment was ended.

The Delightful New-Step Polka, by Will L. Thompson, is one of the most beautiful pieces of music ever published. Any music dealer will mail it to you on receipt of price, 50 cts.

An Obstacle to Physical Well Being.

Physicians rightly characterize constipation as an obstinate impediment to the welfare of the body. The performance of the more important functions, such as digestion, billary secretion and an active circulation of the blood, are interrupted by it in a greater or less degree, as the development of the complaint is incipient or mature. Not at once, of course, but with reasonable promptitude. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will remove every symptom to which it gives rise, as well as the minor maladies taht spring from it, among them indigestion and chronic billiousness. From drenching cathartics it is vain to hope for permanent benefit, and there are few purgatives that are not violent and profuse in their operation. Blue pill and calomel are designed to act upon the liver only, and taken frequently are pernicious to health. The Bitters produce relaxation of the bowels without pain, and a renewal of their regularity. It also conquers fever and ague, rheumatism, neuralgia and inactivity of the kidneys.

—It is said that Miss Carrie Dietrick, daughter of the late Judge Dietrick, is to marry Wm. M. Singerly, owner and editor of the Philadelphia *Record*.

—The editor of the Huntingdon *Local News* writes: "Now hunt up your Black Beaver overcoats and work to keep the Wolfe from your door."

A SWINDLER

does not refer possible purchasers to his victims. The Athlophoros Co. gladly refers sufferers from rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, nervous or sick headache, kidney and liver complaints to those who *have been cured* of these diseases by Athlophoros, and will furnish names and addresses of many such persons to those desiring them. Athlophoros is the only remedy for these diseases that can stand such a test.

A. L. Thomas, Cuba, N. Y., says: "My son, J. M. Thomas, had been suffering from rheumatism for several months. Athlophoros relieved him of the pain, and reduced the swelling of the joints, and the lameness entirely disappeared. I have seen those having neuralgia cured by taking one dose."

A. Beard, Mt. Kisco, N. Y., says: "I have been troubled for some time with sciatica and rheumatism, brought on by working in a damp place. I could find no remedy in medicine I was using, until I tried a bottle of Athlophoros, which gave me immediate relief."

Mrs. Alfred Thurston, 42 North Main Street, Wilkesbarre, Pa., says: "I am not troubled with rheumatism now, since using Athlophoros. I believe, should it in any case fail to relieve and permanently cure, the cause would be that the directions were not faithfully followed."

J. J. Savitz, Nazareth, Pa., says: "I gave two bottles of Athlophoros to my sister, and she has entirely recovered. She was afflicted with inflammatory rheumatism and St. Vitus' dance, and although we had two of the best doctors, she gradually grew worse. She would scream from pain night and day. I heartily recommend it.

Every druggist should keep Athlophoros and Athlophoros Pills, but where they cannot be bought of the druggist the Athlophoros Co., 112 Wall St., New York, will send either (carriage paid) on receipt of regular price, which is $1.00 per bottle for Athlophoros and 50c. for Pills.

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Mixed Wheat new	70
Buckwheat	40
Rye per bushel	50
Corn (shelled)	45
Corn (ears)	40
Oats	25
Cloverseed, fair to good	$4 00
do prime to extra prime	4 25
do choice	4 50
Flour, retail, per barrel	5 00
Flour, wholesale	4 25
Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$8.00—$10 00
Nova Scotia plaster	8 55

Provision Market.

Corrected by Valentines Store Co., "Limited."

Apples, dried, per pound	5
Cherries dried, per pound, seeded	12
Dried currants, per lb	10
New raisins, per lb	12½
Beans per quart	8
Fresh butter per pound	20
Cheese per pound	16
Country hams per pound	12
Hams, sugar cured	15
Shoulders	10
Break fast Bacon	12
Country Bacon	8
Lard per pound	8
Eggs per doz	28
New Potatoes, per bushel	40
Dried beef	20
Canned Beef per pound	25
Country side, per lb	8
Canned tomatoes per can	12½—15
Canned corn "	10—12½
Lemons per doz	40—50
Dried sweet corn per pound	10
Apple butter, per gal	50
Roller flour, per sack	1 25
Tomatoes, per bus	40
Apples "	40

Miscellaneous.

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A Race of Pigmies.

G. R. S., in San Francisco Call.

The adventurous narrator has been wandering for some time in the Arizona mountains, hunting, fishing and exploring. He came at last to that portion of the terrific chasm of the Colorado now known as the Marble Canyon. Here, seduced by the wild and grand beauty of the surroundings, he pitched his adventurous camp for some time. One day while on the trail of a deer he noticed some singular indentations in a lofty cliff of marble that overhung the chasm. These indentations presented such a curious appearance to the naked eye that he ceased the pursuit of his game to examine them through his field glasses. What was his astonishment when the glasses revealed regular paths, cut deep in the face of the solid marble. These paths, though deep, were very narrow, having more the look of trenches. All thought of his deer were now forgotten, the hunter turned his eager attention to the investigation of his singular discovery.

He had noticed that the paths or branches all tended toward a deep recess situated high up on the face of the cliff. Accordingly he began the ascent of the cliff from the land side, and after an hour's severe toil stood upon the summit of the dizzy eminence. He had marked well the position of the recess in the face of the cliff, and was delighted to find that the descent from the summit was less perpendicular in the direction of the locality he sought than elsewhere. He could even discern a species of platform which seemed to be situated exactly at the mouth of the recess. Scrambling back by the way he had ascended he proceeded to his camp, and returned with a long and stout rope. Fastening this to the trunk of a storm-beaten pine which stood upon the summit of the cliff, he carefully knotted it a distance of 12 to 15 inches, lowered it over the edge of the precipice and trusted himself to its strength. Hand under hand down he went, swinging over the dizzy and perilous depths of the terrific marble canyon. At last his foot touched the rocky platform in front of the recess and he found himself at his goal. And now indeed a singular sight presented itself. In front of him was a miniature dwelling imbedded in the recess. This dwelling was perfect in all its appointments, though those appointments were of the rudest kind. It had certainly been fashioned by human hands, and those hands though small, had evidently been industrious and guided by intelligence. The marble dwelling boasted doors scarcely 15 inches high, and the tiny windows which lighted up the front were scarcely the span of a baby hand. These doors and windows were nothing more than holes in the walls of the dwelling and through them the various apartments could be seen. There were accomodations, apparently, for some 8 or 10 little persons, and scattered about were many utensils of use and ornament. These things were fashioned from the clear-viened marble and bore the look of children's toys rather than the household goods of grown folks. The paths which converged to the entrance of the dwelling from all parts of the cliff face were some 10 to 12 inches in depth, and must have been cut with enormous labor by men whose stature could not have exceeded a foot.

Our adventurer, after concluding his observations, grasped his rope, and after a perilous ascent again stood upon the summit of the mighty cliff, in whose face the pigmy race of old had hollowed and hewn their dwelling place. Who these little folks were, how they lived and how they died, are secrets buried forever in the mighty tombs of the past. They may have died one by one in the course of nature, or the race, like their prototypes of old, may have been raided and devoured collectively by cranes, a great number of which birds frequent the locality.

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" S. W.	140	160	2		122	177	3		121	177	4		123	177	3		121	180	2		154	144	1	179	154	133	151	156			112	189	1	103	200	125	178
" W. W.	110	49			108	50	1		108	49	1		110	48			113	46			112	47		47	115	112	44	44			101	58		103	56	114	45
Milesburg	106	37	5	1	103	39	5	2	103	39	5	2	102	39	5	2	102	39	4	2	104	36	6	39	106	105	36	36	3	2	101	41	4	104	38	103	39
Howard	84	42			84	42			84	42			84	42			85	42			85	42		42	87	77	37	49		1	83	43	1	85	42	85	42
Millheim	33	123	10		28	127	11		28	127	11		28	127	11		30	129	7		34	118		128	32	28	120	124	9	14	28	129	5	26	136	31	121
Philipsburg, 1st W	86	46	26	1	89	45	25	1	89	45	25	1	88	47	24	1	90	45	24	1	95	45	2	46	88	92	46	46	23	23	82	46	32	100	47	90	46
" 2d W	120	110	12		123	110	11		123	109	11		123	111	11		125	108	10		128	103	1	107	128	128	104	105	11	9	118	103	24	137	97	126	108
" 3d W	77	60	16		76	60	17		77	60	16		77	60	16		78	58	16		80	59		59	78	78	58	59	17	16	75	54	24	88	60	78	61
Unionville	51	39			49	40	5	1	49	40	5	1	49	40	5	1	49	41	4	1	53	39	1	41	51	51	42	42	2	2	48	45	2	52	41	54	37
Benner	78	148	2		79	149	2		79	149	2		79	149	2		79	148	2		83	142	2	148	84	92	149	125			91	134	3	79	149	79	148
Boggs, E. P.	85	57		2	85	57		2	84	58		2	85	57		2	82	60		2	99	42	2	59	89	85	54	58		60	82	60	85	85	49	88	59
" W. P.	191	122	9	1	188	125	10	1	187	124	10	2	187	122	10	2	188	126	8	2	190	122	3	123	195	192	118	119	9	8	186	129	8	191	125	190	124
Burnside	50	32			52	32			52	32			52	32			53	32			59	24		33	56	47	29	38			47	38		53	32	53	32
College	198	103	3		184	118	3		184	116	3		181	119	3		190	114	3		193	110		114	199	181	92	122			175	127	1	187	116	197	105
Curtin	43	63			40	66			42	64			40	64	2		40	66			44	56		65	44	37	64	64			39	65		40	66	40	66
Ferguson, E. P.	84	156	1		85	157	1		86	156	1		85	157	1		89	157	1		89	154		157	80	83	160	155	3		81	162	0	86	158	86	158
" W. P.	93	61	5		96	58	5		96	58	5		91	64	4		98	57	4		99	56		57	74	99	71	54	11	3	99	56	4	98	57	98	57
Gregg, S. P.	81	257	1		83	256	2		82	256	3		82	256	3		83	253	3		88	252		255	42	91	57	64	4	2	143	192		79	260	83	234
" N. P.	5	72			5	72			5	72			5	72			4	73	2		5	72		73	13	4	247	233	2	1	9	60		6	69	6	51
Half Moon	104	38	9	1	104	39	8	1	104	38	8	1	108	34	8	1	104	39	8	2	108	37	1	38	91	114	48	24	7	7	106	40	7	107	40	113	38
Harris	71	122	4		72	123	3		72	123	3		72	123	3		73	122	1		74	121		121	69	73	121	119	2	3	87	109	1	72	124	73	120
Howard Twp.	109	61			109	62			109	62			109	62			109	62	2		110	62		65	106	101	61	75	0		110	64		109	61	109	65
Huston	102	65	1		104	67	1		104	67	1		104	67	1		104	66	0		104	66	1	66	102	119	54	57	1	2	107	64	1	104	66	104	66
Liberty	174	72	2		161	86	2		166	81	2		166	81	2		165	82	2		167	80		82	171	152	72	90	2	1	166	78	2	164	84	165	82
Marion	45	98			45	98			45	98			45	98			45	98			48	94		99	44	46	95	100	0		48	95	0	44	99	45	97
Miles	69	265	7		67	268	7		67	268	7		66	269	7		62	272	0		64	264		271	72	65	256	267	4	5	80	252	2	61	275	62	271
Penn	24	174	4		24	174	5		24	174	5		24	174	5		125	173			30	166		173	24	25	162	167	4	4	31	159	3	24	174	24	165
Potter, N. P.	55	90	1		56	89	1		58	87	1		58	87	1		59	87			61	84		87	41	66	102	76			101	44		59	87	60	83
" S. P.	72	179	4		73	178	4		73	178	4		73	178	4		75	178			77	176		179	69	79	175	170		3	111	143		75	180	74	180
Rush, N. P.	80	127	16		82	128	15		80	130	15		81	129	15		82	128	6		85	124		128	83	84	125	125	16		80	127	18	92	127	88	126
" S. P.	30	82	6		33	82	6		33	82	6		33	82	6		35	82	15		34	82		83	34	34	82	82	5	5	32	82	5	35	82	35	82
Snow Shoe, W. P.	60	47	1		58	51	1		58	51	I		58	51	1		60	48			64	42		48	66	58	41	48	0		57	50	1	59	49	59	49
" E. P.	112	105	4	1	105	112	4	1	104	112	4	1	105	112	4	1	109	111	0		118	99		111	117	57	105	114	3	3	113	107	3	110	112	110	112
Spring	285	237	6		281	243	7		275	248	7		281	243	7		283	242	5		315	210		240	290	296	232	220	6	2	266	258	1	274	250	285	237
Taylor	61	37		1	64	35		2	66	35		2	62	39		2	64	35	0	2	69	30	3	35	63	66	35	34	0		65	37	0	66	35	67	34
Union	119	71	6	1	120	70	6	1	122	68	6	1	122	68	6	1	123	70	4	1	126	69	1	70	120	124	75	69	3	4	124	69	4	125	70	125	67
Worth	93	78	5	3	96	76	5	3	96	76	5	3	96	76	5	3	99	76	0	3	99	75	2	76	103	103	74	71	0		99	78	0	100	76	99	76
Haines, E. P.	31	102	1		31	103	1		31	103	1		32	102	1		31	103	1		33	101		103	31	32	102	103	1	1	33	99	1	31	105	31	100
" W. P.	93	124	3		93	124	3		93	124	3		90	127	3		90	127	2		95	122		127	91	92	121	127	2	2	128	90	2	62	155	67	124
Walker	104	190	2		105	191	1		105	191	1		105	192			105	190	1		105	90		190	105	110	180	182	1	1	101	195		105	192	105	192
Patton	109	77	2		109	78	2		105	82	2		109	78	2		107	82	2		116	74		81	101	147	71	51	1	2	105	83	2	107	82	109	80
Centre Hall	24	61	12		23	63	11		23	62	12		23	63	11		24	63	10		25	60		63	23	23	65	60	11	9	54	36	7	23	65	23	58
Total	3979	4329	196	12	3902	4426	198	15	3891	4423	200	16	3888	4435	195	16	3938	4415	168	15	4143	4181	29	4416	3976	3974	4226	4220	163	154	4072	4243	243	3883	4543	3986	4315
Majorities		350				524				53				547				477				38					250	246							660		329

NOTE.—Trumpfeller, prohibition candidate for Congress, received 143 votes; Honer, prohibitionist for the legislature 10 votes, Martin for Senator 8, Barlet for surveyor 10 Scattering votes were Curtin for Congress 2 votes; Humes for Governor 1, Harris for Lt. Gov. 1, and Jenkins for Auditor General 1.

—Mr. Wm. P. Duncan, of Philipsburg, will make himself very happy on Thursday evening in Philadelphia. He will marry Miss Deringer, daughter of the manufacturer of the famous Deringer pistol. Mr. Duncan first met Miss Deringer in Bellefonte and his acquaintance and courtship have reached this happy consummation. Representatives of Bellefonte society will attend the nuptials, among them Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Brown.

We regret to notice a spirit rampart in Centre county politics which it will be well to subdue at once. We hear of of people talking of vengeance in politics. Because, they say, a certain clique voted so and so, we will have our revenge on them if any of their number come out for office. Fie! on it, Republican brethren, such sentiments are unworthy of you. Allow no personal political reasons ever deter you from voting for a Republican nominee.

—A new swindle is being worked as follows: Swindler number one travels about selling watches on the installment plan, collecting $2 at the time of delivery A confederate follows and claims that the watch was stolen giving its number in proof. The victim has the watch taken away from him and loses the $2 he has paid. Look out for this precious pair.

—Mr. Valentine Smith purchased the Norman property on Smith street several weeks ago. Glad to hear that some grocers are so prosperous. By the way, Valentine Smith is, in some respects, like George Washington. The latter character never told a falsehood and the former never was caught in one.

Galusha A. Grow should be elected United States Senator. No man in the Republican party of the State has shown more brilliant ability or has done better service for the party. The State can honor itself by sending Mr. Grow to the higher branch of the National Legislature.

Wants.

The sufferers by the fire want more aid.

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—The Scientific American, published by Munn & Co., New York, presents weekly to its readers the best and most reliable record of various improvements in machinery, while the scientific progress of the country can in no way be gleaned so well as by the regular perusal of its pages.

—Whether the man who was injured by a stone has commenced action against Bond Fisher is a question we cannot answer, but we have not heard of any such prosecution. He should make haste or he will be prevented by the statute of limitation.

—The grading of the lot of the new school building has not been contracted for and probably will not be this season as it has been decided to postpone all the grading except what is absolutely necessary until next season.

—The bids for the erection of the new glass factory have been received and the contract will probably be given to-day, a meeting for that purpose being held this afternoon.

Medical.

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The Result in the State.

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COUNTIES.	BEAVER, R.	BLACK, D.	WOLFE, P.
Adams*	2822	3253	133
Allegheny	27349	20598	2509
Armstrong	3946	3242	342
Beaver*	7167	1406	179
Bedford*	3929	7648	69
Berks*	8689	14774	440
Blair*	5134	4196	536
Bradford*	7490	3860	643
Bucks*	7478	7737	382
Butler*			
Cambria*	3855	495	345
Cameron*	645	528	38
Carbon*	2605	3306	235
Centre*	3979	4329	196
Chester*	10048	6451	1216
Clarion*	2382	5470	252
Clearfield	3816	5817	363
Clinton	2273	2963	183
Columbia*	1874	4197	218
Crawford*	6404	5337	1103
Cumberland*	4017	4820	406
Dauphin*	7809	6879	662
Delaware*	6406	4030	664
Elk	1974	1704	24
Erie*	800	6579	991
Fayette*	5455	5750	
Forest*	663	507	142
Franklin*	5126	4576	253
Fulton*	846	1128	64
Green*	2157	3593	160
Huntingdon*	3784	2834	174
Indiana*	4171	3914	378
Jefferson*	3038	2713	97
Juniata*	1707	1752	86
Lackawanna	6484	6828	1188
Lancaster*	18774	9143	732
Lawrence*	3431	1684	559
Lebanon*	4932	2966	129
Lehigh*	5745	7746	172
Luzerne	10579	12686	782
Lycoming*	4793	6291	456
McKean*	2481	198	455
Mercer*	5311	4479	733
Mifflin*	2005	1994	137
Monroe*	943	2896	83
Montgomery	10939	10442	611
Montour°			
Northampton°	5877	9484	201
Northumberland°	4468	5341	394
Perry°	880	2769	144
Philadelphia	89959	63850	3867
Pike°	400	1097	18
Potter°	1963	1505	211
Schuylkill°	9725	11168	643
Snyder°	2070	1315	86
Somerset°	4233	2122	296
Sullivan	624	1139	59
Susquehanna°	4287	3044	656
Tioga°	5219	2359	445
Union°	2749	1466	179
Venango	3574	3232	1127
Warren°	3159	2414	816
Washington°	6093	4973	633
Wayne°	2518	2661	549
Westmoreland°			
Wyoming°	1866	1870	
York°	7594	10087	473
Total	396623	353637	29364
Beaver's Plurality	42 65		

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Half Moon, Oct. 1, 1886. 18 40 6t

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Letters of administration having been granted the undersigned upon the estate of William Pennington, dec'd, late of Walker township, Centre Co., Pa., all persons indebted to said estate are hereby notified to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present the same duly authenticated for settlement.
18 43 6t J. C. ZIMMERMAN,
Zion, Centre Co., Pa., Oct. 21. Administrator.

LEGAL NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania, on the 19th day of November, 1886, under "The Corporation Act of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four" and the supplements thereto, for the Charter of an intended Corporation to be called "BELLEFONTE GLASS COMPANY," the character and object whereof is the manufacture and sale of Glass. And for those purposes to have, possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of the said Act of Assembly and its supplements.
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Bellefonte Republican.

By EDWARD T. TUTEN.

Pennsylvania.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 3.—Revised returns from a number of counties in the state make Beaver's plurality for Governor 45,217.

Following is the total vote in this city: For governor—James A. Beaver, 89,000; Chauncey F. Black, 93,850; Charles S. Wolfe, 3,867; Robert J. Houston, greenback-labor, 65 The only break in the Republican ticket in this city was over the contest for Judge of the court of common pleas. Twenty-five wards out of 31 give Judge Gordon, democrat, 5,000 majority over Briggs, republican. These figures are likely to increase.

PHIPADELPHIA, Nov. 3.—The new delegation to congress from Pennsylvania will consist of 19 republicans, including Brumm, republican greenbacker, and 9 democrats. The present delegation is composed of 20 republicans, including Brumm, and 8 democrats. The following is the new delegation:

At Large—E S. Osborne, 50,000 majority.	
1 H H Bingham, R.	15 F C Bunnell, R.
2 Charles O'Neill, R.	16 H C McCormick, R.
3 S J Randall, D	7 Edward S ull,
4 Wm D Kelley, R.	18 L E A kinson, R.
5 A C Harmer, R.	19 Levi Maish, D.
6 S Harrington, R.	20 John Patton, R.
7 R M Wardley, R.	21 W McCullough, R.
8 D Ermentrout, D.	22 John Dalzell, R.
9 J A Heinstand, R.	23 T M Bayne, R.
10 W H Sowden, D.	24 O L Jackson, R.
11 C R Buckalew, D.	25 J F Maffett, R.
12 John Lynch, D.	26 Norman Hall, D.
13 C E Brumm, G. G.	27 W L Scott, D.
14 F Bound, R.	

The Democrats gained the Twelfth district, where Lynch defeated Scranton, republican, the present incumbent. The Twenty-sixth district is also a gain for the Democrats, Norman Hall defeating W. B. Roberts, republican. The republicans gained the Twenty-first district, now represented by Boyle, democrat. There were three candidates in this district, which comprises Westmoreland, Fayette, and Greene counties. McCullough received 15,073 votes, Hofferty, democrat, 2,603, Donnelly, independent democrat, 14,805.

The present state senate is composed of 31 republicans and 19 democrats. Of these 10 republicans and 15 democrats will retire and will be succeeded by 25 senators elected yesterday, 13 of whom are republican, 11 democrats, and 1 independent democrat. The new senate will stand 34 republican, 15 democrats.

The present house of representatives is composed of 141 republicans and 60 democrats. The next house will be composed of 131 republicans, 5 republican greenback labor, 61 democrats, 3 independent democrat, and one doubtful.

Morrison's Waterloo.

BELLVILLE, Ill., November 3.—The defeat of Congressman Morrison caused great surprise throughout the district, particularly to democrats, and a monster jubilee was held at Bellville by the republicans to-night Morrison carried his district two years ago by 2,592 majority

CHICAGO, Ill., November 3.—The defeat of Morrison is conceded by the democrats. In reply to a telegram Morrison himself admits his defeat, adding, "But I do not care to say anything of the methods employed to obtain a majority for Baker." Baker's majority is 767. Full semi-official returns in the Thirteenth district give Springer, democrat, a majority of 733 over Connelly, republican.

Kansas 35,000 Republican.

TOPEKA, Kan., November 3.—The chairman of the state central committee says: Safe estimates based on official returns and other sources from nine counties give Martin, republican, for governor, 5,150 plurality. Should the balance of the state vote in the same ratio, Martin will have about 35,000 plurality. Returns from the fifth congressional district indicate a large plurality for John A. Anderson. In the second district Funston is re-elected, but with decreased majority. In all other congressional districts the republicans are elected by usual majorities. There will be a democratic increase in the members of the legislature. In 1884 there were fourteen democrats on joint ballot.

Election Briefs.

NEWARK, N. J. November 3.—Yesterday's election gives the State to Green, Dem., for Governor by a plurality of 7,421 and makes the Legislature a tie on joint ballot, with one Labor-Democrat as casting vote.

CARLISLE PROBABLY DEFEATED.

CINCINNATI, O., November 3.—Special dispatches giving majority by counties in Carlisle's district gave him a majority of sixty-four. The *Sun* says the official count of Friday will have to decide it.

P. S. Later returns indicate that Carlisle is defeated by about 250.

HOW OHIO VOTED.

CINCINNATI, O., November 3.—Congressional delegates from Ohio will stand fifteen Republican and six Democratic. The Republican majority in the State is between fifteen and seventeen thousand.

MORE MISERY FOR WOLFE.

LEWISBURG, November 3.—Charles S. Wolfe, the Prohibition candidate for Governor, is defeated for the Legislature in Union county by 500 He received but 100 votes for Governor.

A FRAUD ISSUE.

ALBANY, N. Y., November 3.—Kane, Democrat, in the Nineteenth Congressional district, has 84 plurality. Swinburne, Republican, will contest on the ground of fraud.

THE DUTCH TAKE HOLLAND.

DES MOINES Iowa, November 3.—The Republican majority in Iowa will reach at least ten thousand. The Republicans have elected eight congressman, a gain of one.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

CONCORD, November 3.—The Republican majorities in the Legislature insure the election of Sawyer as Governor and of the Republican United States Senators.

THE VIRGINIA DELEGATION.

RICHMOND, Va., November 3.—The delegation from Virginia in the next Congress will stand six Republicans, three Democrats and one Labor.

Dakota Overwhelmingly Republican.

REDFIELD, Dak., November 4.—Gifford, republican, is re-elected delegate to congress by about 3,000 majority. The legislature will be overwhelming republican. Returns show the election of the county seat here by a majority of about 100, with nearly 4,000 votes polled.

The Congress and the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 4.—Edward McPherson, secretary of the republican congressional committee, makes the following computation from returns received up to 9 o'clock this evening of the political complexion of the house of representatives of the Fiftieth congress. The returns, as far as received, indicate the election of 154 republicans, 159 democrats, 5 labor and independents, 6 doubtful, 1 vacancy; total, 325. The doubtful are 1 in Illinois, 1 in Kentucky (Carlisle), 1 in Ohio (Campbell), and 3 in Missouri (Clardy, Glover, and Mansur). The labor and independents are, 1 in Florida (Pendleton), 1 in Indiana (Marsh, 1 in Iowa (Anderson), 1 in Virginia (Hopkins), 1 in Wisconsin (Smith). If the democrats get four of the doubtful ones they will have 165, or a majority of the house. McPherson says the attitude of the democrats toward the present administration is similar to that of the republicans toward the administration of Hayes, and that many dissatisfied democrats voted the labor ticket. Labor, he thinks, will be an organized factor in political contests in the future, and the labor vote must be taken into serious consideration.

Phil. Thompson, secretary of the democratic committee, says the democrats will have a good working majority in the house.

It looks, at present writing, as if the elections of Tuesday might not have changed in the least the complexion of the next United States senate. Eighteen members of the senate will leave that body on the expiration of their terms next March—eleven republicans and seven democrats. The republicans are Dawes, of Massachusetts; Hawley, of Connecticut; Miller, of New York; Mitchell, of Pennsylvania, Sewell, of New Jersey; Conger, of Michigan; Harrison, of Indiana; Sawyer, of Wisconsin; McMillan, of Minnesota; Van Wyck, of Nebraska, and Williams, of California The democrats are Gray, of Delaware; Jones, of Florida; Fair, of Nevada; Whitthorne of Tennessee; Maxey, of Texas; Camden, of West Virginia, and Cockrell, of Missouri. It is not obvious that any of these eighteen men have been thrown out of their seats by the election of Tuesday. Two are in doubt and they are republicans—Sewell, of New Jersey, and McMillan, of Minnesota. Some others, indeed, may not be returned but if superseded it will be by men of their own party faith.

Very Close in Minnesota.

ST. PAUL, Nov. 4.—The returns all day have been generally favorable to the democrats and the most sanguine republicans are not now claiming the election of McGill for Governor by more than 5,000, while the democrats are elated and confident that Ames will be elected by a small majority. It may take the official count to decide it. In Hennepin county, the home of Ames, some 1,500 ballots for him were thrown out, it is said, because the words "Labor Ticket" were printed thereon, so offsetting this the republicans claim extensive democratic frauds in this (Ramsen) county. Whether McGill is elected or not the republican state ticket as a whole certainly is, as he ran about 12,000 behind the other candidates for state offices. It is impossible to give figures on the composition of the next legislature, but estimates now give the senate 30 republicans and 15 democrats and the house 75 republicans and 25 democrats and a Farmer's Alliance man.

Briefs.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—Politicians continue to discuss the result of the late election. The Fiftieth congress is looked forward to as one that will not be distinguished for any important legislation. "The elections," said one shrewd observer to-day, "have secured to the country three years' rest from tariff agitation—the first rest of the kind it has had for a long period. The next presidential election will be fought on the record of the administration, not on the legislation of congress."

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 5.—Official returns have been received from every county except Allegheny, Armstrong, Blair, Clearfield, Elk, Green, Huntingdon, Lackawanna, Luzerne, Montgomery, Philadelphia and Sullivan, which are estimated as giving Beaver's plurality at 47,347, a net republican gain of 82,549 over the vote of 1882.

INDIANAPOLIS, November 4.—Official returns from every county give Robertson, republican, 3,647 plurality. The democrats have the majority on joint ballot in the legislature.

CINCINNATI, O., November 5.—The official count in the Sixth Kentucky district gives Carlisle 768 majority.

CINCINNATI, O., November 5.—Campbell democrat, was elected in the Seventh district by three majority.

CHICAGO, November 5.—Springer's majority in the Thirteenth district is 974.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 5.—Complete returns from this city and almost complete returns from the state give Bartlett, democrat, for governor, 302 plurality over Swift, republican. The result can only be decided by the official count.

New Jersey Very Close.

NEWARK, November 5.—The board of canvassers met in all the counties to-day and canvassed the vote of Tuesday's election. In Essex county no result was arrived at and the board adjourned until to-morrow. A recount will be ordered in the Second district where Pickham, republican, was elected over Denny, democrat and labor, by a majority of 6. Also in the Sixth district where Crane, democrat, was elected over Ward, republican, by 22 majority. In the Second district (Passaic) it is not yet decided whether the tie between Emley and Carroll will be settled by a recount of a new election. The legislature remains one of a democratic majority on joint ballot without the Emley district.

Contest Certain.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—Points in dispute not reached in the official canvass of the Tenth district to-day. In the face of his returns Post, republican, has a majority and it is generally conceded the disputed votes will be counted in his favor. Whatever the result it is believed the defeated candidate will contest before the house at Washington.

No Constitutional Convention.

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 5.—The Albany *Journal* states that the total vote of the state, fourteen counties estimated, was about 950,000. The proposition for a constitutional convention must have 475,000 affirmative votes to be adopted. The returns received indicate that the vote has fallen short of the number.

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Railroads.

BALD EAGLE VALLEY RAILROAD.—Time Table, June 13, 1886

WESTWARD	Exp A.M	Mail P.M.
Leave Lock Haven	9 00	4 05
Flemington	9 05	4 09
Mill Hall	9 09	4 12
Beech Creek	9 25	4 28
Eagleville f	9 30	4 33
Howard	9 44	4 48
Mount Eagle f	9 54	4 57
Curtin	10 01	4 58
Milesburg	10 12	5 07
Bellefonte	10 35	5 20
Milesburg	10 44	5 8
Snow Shoe Int	10 48	5 38
Unionville	10 8	5 48
Julian	11 09	5 58
Martha	11 19	6 08
Port Matilda	11 27	6 16
Hannah f	11 36	6 23
Fowler f	11 39	6 26
Dix f	11 42	6 27
Bald Eagle	11 48	6 35
Vail	11 53	6 40
Arrive at Tyrone	12 05	6 50
EASTWARD	P.M.	P.M.
Leave Tyrone	7 30	5 10
East Tyrone	7 37	8 17
Vail	7 40	8 20
Bald Eagle	7 45	8 25
Dix f	7 50	8 30
Fowler f	7 54	8 37
Hannah f	7 57	8 36
Port Matilda	8 06	8 43
Martha	8 13	8 51
Julian	8 22	8 59
Unionville	8 33	9 10
Snow Shoe Int	8 42	9 18
Milesburg	8 45	9 22
Bellefonte	8 55	9 32
Milesburg	9 10	9 47
Curtin	9 20	10 01
Mount Eagle f	9 27	10 06
Howard	9 37	10 16
Eagleville f	9 51	10 30
Beech Creek	9 56	10 35
Mill Ha	10 11	10 50
Flemington f	10 15	10 54
Arrive at Lock Haven	10 20	11 00

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE R. R.—Time Table in effect on and after March 22, 1886

Leaves Snow Shoe at 6:45 a m; arrives at Bellefonte at 8:25 a m.

Leaves Bellefonte 9.00 a m., arrives at Snow Shoe 11.00 a m

Leaves Snow Shoe 4.00 p m., arrives at Bellefonte 6.00 p m

Leaves Bellefonte at 8:00 p m; arrives at Snow Shoe at 10:20 p m.

S S BLAIR, General Sup.

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE R. R.—BELLEFONTE, NITTANY AND LEMONT R. R. To take effect June 13, 1886.

Dis.	Westward	a m.	p.m.		Eastward	a.m.	p.m.
.0		5.50	1.30	MONTANDON		6 30	9.10
1.5		6.00	1 40	Ar. LEWISBURG Lv		5.20	9 00
1.8		6.05	1 45	Lv. LEWISBURG Ar			9.00
5.4		6.15	1.55	Biehl f			8 51
6.8		6.22	2.03	Vicksburg f			8 45
10.7		6.33	2 16	MIFFLINBURG			8 33
13.2		6.40	2.24	Barber f			8.26
1 .2		6.46	2 31	Sweigle f			8.20
16.1		6.48	2 35	Millmont			8 18
18.6		6.56	2 43	LAURELTON			8.12
23.5		7.08	2.58	Pardee f			7.58
24.7		7.12	3.04	Weixer f			7.54
28 9		7.27	3.17	Cherry Run f			7.45
32.2		7.35	3.28	Paddy Mt. Tunnel f			7.35
33 9		7.41	3.33	Fowler f			7.32
36 6		7.49	3.45	Coburn			7.23
39 6		7.56	3.55	Zerby f			7.15
43.4		8.10	4.15	Rising Springs			7.05
46.2		8.19	4 27	Penn's Cave f			6.58
49.2		8.27	4.40	CENTRE HALL			6.50
51.6		8.34	4 50	Gregg f			6.43
54.6		8.45	5.04	Linden Hall			6.36
56.7		8.52	5.13	OAK HALL			6.30
58.3		8.56	5 20	LEMONT			6.25
60.2		9.03	5.27	Dale Summit f			6.20
63.9		9 14	5.45	Pleasant Gap f			6.09
65.2		9.19	5.56	Axeman f			6.04
67.4		9.25	6.09	BELLEFONTE			6.00

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LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD Time Table, Nov. 1, 1885.

WESTWARD.	Mixed. P. M.	Mixe A. M
Leave Scotia	12 15	5 00
Fairbrook	12 40	5 20
Penn's Furnace	1 05	5 40
Hostler f	1 15	5 50
Marengo f	1 25	5 55
Loveville f	1 30	6 00
Furnace Road f	1 35	6 10
Dungarvin	1 39	6 13
Warriors Mark	1 55	6 22
Pennington	2 12	6 40
Weston Mill f	2 25	6 50
L. and T. June	2 31	6 55
Tyrone	2 35	6 59
EASTWARD.	Mixed. P. M.	Mixe A. M
Leave Tyrone	4 30	9 20
L. & T. June	4 34	9 25
Weston Mill f	4 40	9 33
Pennington	4 55	9 48
Warriors Mark	5 06	9 58
Dungarvin	5.17	10.09
Furnace Road f	5 20	10 12
Loveville f	5 26	10 18
Marengo f	5 30	10 22
Hostler f	5 40	10 38
Penn's Furnace	5 50	10 44
Fairbrook	6 05	11 02
Scotia	6 25	11 30

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD—(Philadelphia and Erie Division.)—On and after May 31, 1886:

WESTWARD.		
ERIE MAIL leaves Philadelphia		11 20 p m
" " Harrisburg		3 30 a m
" " Williamsport		7 10 a m
" " Jersey Shore		7 35 a m
" " Lock Haven		7 55 a m
" " Renovo		8 55 a m
" arr at Erie		4 00 p m
NIAGARA EXP. leaves Philadelphia		7 40 a m
" " Harrisburg		11 25 a m
" arr. at Williamsport		2 55 p m
" " Lock Haven		3 15 p m
" " Renovo		5 10 p m
" " Kane		9 15 p m
Passengers by this train arrive in Bellefonte at		5 29 p m
FAST LINE leaves Philadelphia		11 50 a m
" Harrisburg		3 45 p m
" Williamsport		7 10 p m
" arr at Lock Haven		8 02 p m
" Renovo		9 00 p m
SUNDAY MAIL leaves Phil'a		4 30 a m
" " Harrisburg		7 40 a m
" " " W'm'sport		10 40 a m
" " " Lock Haven		11 35 a m
" arr. at Renovo		12 30 p m
EASTWARD.		
Sea Shore EXPRESS leaves L. Haven		7 05 a m
" " " Jer'y S're		7 35 a m
" " " W'msp't		8 15 a m
" " arr. at Harrisb'g		11 30 a m
" " " Phila'phia		3 15 p m
DAY EXP. leaves Kane		6 25 a m
" " Renovo		10 20 a m
" " Lock Haven		11 15 a m
" " Williamsport		12 25 p m
" arr at Harrisburg		3 25 p m
" " Philadelphia		6 50 a m
ERIE MAIL leaves Erie		2 45 p m
" " Renovo		11 00 p m
" " Lock Haven		11 55 a m
" " Williamsport		1 25 a m
" arr at Harrisburg		4 20 a m
" " Philadelphia		8 25 a m
RENOVO ACN leaves Renovo		4 00 p m
" arrives at Harrisb'g		9 40 p m
" " Philadelphia		4 45 a m

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—A meteorie display is due this month.

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—The Centre County Pomona Grange met on Friday at Oak Hall.

—Francis Speer rises to remark that he will vote "straight" next time.

—Miss Ella Smith of Altoona, Pa., visited friends in Bellefonte Saturday.

—The Democrats say that the fair weather was against them on election day.

—There have been thirty-three conversions during the religious revival in Hublersburg.

—Moderate weather cannot last too long as there is a vast amount of outdoor work to do.

—Mrs. William Bright, of Millheim, died of typhoid fever a few days ago. She was 42 years of age.

—Our next Governor rode out over the Buffalo Run R. R. Thursday afternoon with Mr. Collins.

—The *Watchman* displays only one rooster. That is the only one of the flock that did not escape out of the front windows.

"Receiving considerable notoriety!" Oh, do call it fame, George. Anybody that wants to can receive "considerable notoriety."

—Numerous petty thefts have recently been perpetrated at Hublersburg, many people having buggy whips, robes, etc., taken from their conveyances.

—Rev. Wm. C. McCool, of Spring Mills, has received and accepted a call to become principal of the Homer, Neb., Academy. It is a Lutheran institution.

—We learn that Mr. Ed. Rankin, the telegraph operator who went to Philadelphia to consult an oculist, is rapidly profiting by the treatment he is receiving. He will return soon.

—At the recent State Sunday School Convention Rev. B. F. Brown, Rector of St Mark's Church, of Lewistown, was elected district president of this Sunday School district, composed of the counties of Clearfield, Clinton, Centre, Union, Snyder, Mifflin and Juniata.

—A genuine Summer thunder storm prevailed on Tuesday evening. The thunder and lightning were really grand and the rain and wind contributed to, the startling effect. People who apprehended that it presaged a change in the weather to intensely cold were mistaken as next morning was charming in temperture and a perfect beauty.

—The Pennsylvania railroad company have bought 360 acres of land on Blue Springs Run, in Marion county, Ga., on which the company will soon establish a veneering factory to manufacture veneering to be used in finishing the inside of its cars. The land is richly timbered with the finest quality of yellow pine, curly pine, cypress, magnolia, beech and palmetto.

—The death of Mr. Herbert Williams, of Snow Shoe, occurred on Wednesday evening, in that place. He was quite an old man, well known throughout the county and held in high esteem. He was in the rebellion and was severely wounded while in the service of his country. He leaves a wife and a stepson. The funeral occurred on Friday afternoon at one o'clock.

—The Milton *Argus* says: Every young man who keeps steady company this winter, will be expected to send at least a ton of coal to his girl's mother. This is the proper caper now, and it is presumed that if the young man fails to do so, he does not consider the girl's company worth the coal. In that case his absence is to be preferred to his presence in the girl's home. See?

—The death of Mr. Elisha B. Reynolds occurred Wednesday night at 12 o'clock. The deceased made his home with his brother, Major Wm. F. Reynolds, in this place. He was a very pleasant gentleman, who on fine days in summer was usually seen sitting on the porch of his brother's residence and he always had a pleasant greeting for those he knew. He did not mingle in society or business, being quite infirm and suffering considerably. The fact that he was a sufferer and demanded the constant care of his relatives will make him greatly missed. The funeral was held on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. We understand it will be from the Episcopal church.

—Our congratulations are due to Mr. and Mrs. John Powers. On Tuesday last Mrs. Powers was Miss Mary Keenan of this place. On the evening of that day she and Mr. Powers were wedded. The groom is a prominent and very skillful shoemaker who has a large store in this place. He filled the office of Chief Burgess a few years ago and made an excellent official. He is well known as one of Bellefonte's best cittzens. His bride is a very estimable lady. After the affair was consummated they went to Mr. Powers' residence, on Spring street where an excellent supper awaited them. The affair was pleasant and we hope their married life will be full of happiness.

New York correspondence of this paper.

The Bartholdi Liberty Statue. Ceremonies of the Unveiling.

It is the patriotism which lies in the hearts of the people awaiting occasions to burst into flame, it is the love of country, stronger and deeper than all party obligations and affiliations, ready to take all risks that any crisis of Liberty may demand,—it is these, the humanly vitalized principle and emotion, which make a nobler and sublimer display than any unveiling of symbolized freedom in bronze or marble howsoever wrought into form by artistic skill and genius.

During the present week we have had an illustration here in New York both of symbolic and of living liberty,—the spectacle of the unveiling of the most beautiful and grandest statue ever dedicated to freedom, embodying the highest inspiration that ever touched the soul of poet, painter or sculptor, and the spectacle of the assemblage of more than a million of freemen to witness the ceremonies which have cemented a nearer and dearer unity between the two greatest Republics on the earth.

All intelligent readers are familiar with the history of this statue,—how it was conceived by Bartholdi, and, through years of study, aided by the inspiration of his genius, how it grew from detail to detail to the sublime grandeur of its present completeness; and how France, allied to us by a century of unbroken friendship, was moved to make offer of such a magnificent gift to her prototype and sister Republic

Bedloe's Island, almost in the centre of our beautiful bay, and near to which all ships coming to this port must pass, is the most appropriate position that could have been given this Goddess of Liberty. It is in full view of three great cities, and its brilliant electric light will be seen of nights far down the bay by incoming vessels. The height of the statue alone is 151 feet, and with the pedestal it is about 300 feet.

The ceremonies of Thursday were simply grand in every respect. The military and civic parade was a splendid feature, and was viewed by our Chief Magistrate and his Cabinet, by the artist Bartholdi, the presentation committee from France, embracing many of the most notable men of that Republic, and by many of the distinguished citizens of this and other states. The naval exhibition was the largest and finest display of ships and vessels of all kinds, ever witnessed in this country; and by its magnitude and beauty seemed to amaze our foreign guests.

As the readers of the FOUNTAIN have undoubtedly read in the daily papers detailed accounts of this grand occasion we will not attempt a full description; but will present a few extracts from the orations. Senator William M. Evarts made the first address, the commencement of which was in the following eloquent words:

"The scene upon which this vast assemblage is collected displays a transaction in human affairs which finds no precedent or record in the past, nor in the long future, we may feel assured, will it ever confront its own counterpart or parallel. How can we fitly frame in words the sentiments, the motives, the emotions which have filled and moved the hearts and minds of two great nations, in the birth of the noble conception, the grand embodiment, the complete execution of this stupenduous monument, now unveiled to the admiring gaze of men, and emblazoned, in its coronation of the finished work, with the plaudits of the world? What ornaments of speech, what eloquence of human voice, what costly gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh of our hearts' tribute can we bring to the celebration of this consummate triumph of genius, of skill, of labor, which speaks to-day, and will speak forever, the thoughts, the feelings, the friendships of these two populous, powerful and free republics, knit together in their pride and joy at their own established freedom and in their hope and purpose that the glad Light of Liberty shall Enlighten the World?"

And his closing paragraph was as follows:

"The Republics of the past were debased by hostility towards foreigners, by arbitrary and brutal power and by slavery. Even in the modern world, liberty was during long ages the monopoly of privileged castes or races. Far different is our liberty which relies upon the equality of rights and duties for all citizens, which secures for each the same protection and extends to all a maternal solicitude without distinction of birth, wealth, opinion or color. Consequently this symbol which we inaugurate to-day is not a chimeric allegory. Pledge of a fraternal union between the two greatest republics of the world, it is greeted simultaneously by more than one hundred millions of free men who tender friendly hands to each other across the ocean. Admirable spectacle which appeals to the meditation of thinkers, because it means the triumph of reason and of justice over the material dominion. It means, in brief, the extinction of bloody struggles and the union of all peoples, through the study of science, the respect of the law and sympathy for the weak. Yes, such are the truths which our Statue of Liberty is proclaiming. Such are the rays which beam from her torch to illuminate the whole world. Among the thousands of Europeans who are daily conveyed to these hospitable shores, no one will pass before this glorious emblem without immediately perceiving its moral greatness and without greeting it with respect and thankfulness."

The commemoration address was made by Hon. Chauncey M. Depew who is a man of statesmanship abilities and of superior oratorical powers. This address in force and harmony of language, in fervid patriotism, as well as in its perfected oratory, calls to mind the speeches of Patrick Henry and other first eloquent defenders of American liberty. We have space but for the following quotation:

"We dedicate this statue to the friendship of nations and the peace of the world. The spirit of liberty embraces all races in common brotherhood; it voices in all langnages the same needs and aspirations. The full power of its expansive and progressive influences cannot be reached until wars cease, armies are disbanded and international disputes are settled by lawful tribunals and the principals of justice. Then the people of every nation, secure from invasion, and free from the burden and menace of great armaments, can calmly and dispassionately promote their own happiness and prosperity. The marvellous development and progress of this Republic is due to the fact that in rigidly adhering to the advice of Washington for absolute neutrality and non-interference in the politics and polices of other governments we have avoided the necessity of depleting our industries to feed our armies, of taxing and impoverishing our resources to carry on war, and of limiting our liberties to concentrate power in our government. Our great civil strife, with all its expenditure of blood and treasure, was a terrible sacrifice for freedom. The results are so immeasurably great that by comparison the cost is insignificant. The development of Liberty was impossible while she was shackled to the slave. The divine thought which entrusted to the conquered the full measure of home rule and accorded to them an equal share of imperial power was the inspiration of God. With sublime trust it left to liberty the elevation of the freedmen to political rights and the conversion of the rebel to patriotic citizenship. The rays from this torch illuminate a century of unbroken friendship between France and the United States.

Peace and opportunities for material progress and the expansion of popular liberties sends from here a fruitful and noble lesson to all the world. It will teach the people of all countries that in curbing the ambitions and dynastic purposes of princes and privileged classes, and in cultivating the brotherhood of man, lie the true road to their enfranchisement.

The influence of this new link of friendship between the two nations—France and the United States—will be felt and grow and strengthen through all coming ages.

HIRAM TORREY.

The Wedding Bells Ring Sweetly.

A lovely evening, all moonlight and sentiment, a brilliantly lighted residence and a pleasant look on every countenance—that is what characterized the condition of affairs at the home of ex-Burgess A. Sternburg on East High street, Thursday evening.

The event which occurred at the hour of 6o'clock gives us authority to make the following announcement:

MARRIED.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Bellefonte, Pa., November 4th, 1886 by Rev. Wurzel, of Williamsport, Samuel H. Leichten, of Houtzdale, Pa., and Cecelia, eldest daughter of A. Sternberg.

The bride and groom are Hebrews, and the ceremony was according to the custom of that faith, which is very beautiful and impressive. The German language was used according to the wishes of the contracting parties. The officiating rabbi, Rev. Wurzel, did his part in that very happy style for which he is noted and the wedding party looked very charming.

The only per ons present—aside from the immediate relatives of the bride and groom—were Miss Celia Armor and Miss Effie Straub, the latter lady of Altoona. After the silken cord was safely tied and congratulations were received the company partook of choice refreshments and the wedding party went on the night train to Philadelphia, via. Reading. When their honeymoon journey is ended they will locate in Houtzdale. We wish for them that the joys of their wedding evening may be their continual portion through life.

The bride is a bright and accomplished young lady—a favorite among all the people of this town. It is Bellefonte's great loss that she has gone away. We have no acquaintance with the fortunate young gentleman who has won and wedded so rare a treasure, but we doubt not that he is worthy.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Bellefonte, Centre Co., Pa., November 1, 1886:

A. J. Bigonny, W. W. Bateman, A. J. Cooper, Mrs. Licha Cramer, Mrs. B. Coan, Miss Annie C. Dieffenbacker, Miss Lizzie Glendenning, Miss Annnie Garrett, L. A. Hicken, John Hafner, Miss Carrie Hayton, J. H. La Velle, Wm. Lawson, Mrs. Jacob McClincy, Mrs. Matilda O'Brien, Samuel H. N. Walker, Miss Mary Yarnell.

Persons inquiring for letters named in the above list will please say advertised.

JAS. H. DOBBINS, P. M.

"Daily News" Relief Fund.

The funds in the hands of the committee have become nearly exhausted, and more is still needed. We hope the charitably disposed, who have not yet contributed, but are able to contribute, will hand in their donations. These people are getting houses, but have nothing to put in them except as furnished by the committee. The very necessaries of life are needed. Bellefonte has never faultered when aid has been asked for sufferers at a distance. She must not falter now when we have destitute sufferers by fire in our very midst. Since the last report the following contributions have been added to the fund:

Jas. A. Beaver	$ 5 00
S & A. Loeb	5 0
Mrs. Harriet Linn	1 00
	$11 00
Previously acknowledged	$135 00
Total	$146 00

The following contributiong of merchandise have been made to the committee:

Geo. Jackson, 8 sacks of flour; Joseph Brothers, 1 chaff tick; Wm. Wilkinson, lot of dishes; Mrs. J. Fearon Mann, bed stead, carpet and chaff tick.

Miss Alpha Corman, plates, knives and forks; Lewins & Co., 1 pair pants; Miss Marion Milliken, clothing; Mrs. Augustus Hoover, clothing; Mrs. Simon Loeb, men's clothing and shoes; Sechler & Co., groceries; Mrs. D. H. Hastings, clothing; Mrs Harry Hicks, clothing; Mrs. J. A. Woodcock, clothing; Miss Mary Thomas, contribution of clothing from the Aid Society.

Stoves, tables, chairs, cupboards, crockery, stove furniture, tin and wooden ware, are among the things still needed to an extent much beyond the resources now in hands of committee, and such contributions left with any of the committee or word sent to this office will be acknowledged. The committee are Mrs. Charles McCafferty, Miss Jane McCalmont and Mrs. Edward T. Tuten.

Brain Products of Pennsylvania.

The following is the official list of patents issued from the United States Patent office to citizens of Pennsylvania on Nov. 2, 1886. Reported from the office of Patrick O'Farrell, solicitor of patents, Wash., D. C., who will furnish information to our readers free:

Darius Banks, Morrisville, half-soles for boots or shoes.

Edmund C. Bigler, Curwensville, trace eye.

Charles C. Bowman, Pittston, grate for stoves.

Thomas J. Boyer, assignor of three-fourths to G D. Hamor, E Kimty and A. M. Roscoe, Dubois, insecticide.

Harry H. Bridenthal, Latrobe, road engine.

Charles Dinsmeyer, Warren, vehicle.

Frank J. Gibbs, Philipsburg, rein holder.

Wm. Komacher, Scranton, composition to attract dissolved crystals.

Arthur W. Lewis, Bradford, manufacture of pipes.

Jas. D. McAnlis, Beaver Falls, ditching machine.

John T. Penrod, assignor of one-half to W. N. Hayes and S. C. Young, Blairsville Intersection, railway frog.

Edward Thome, Marlborough, machine for making wire-fences.

Matthew P. Ward, assignor of part to D. C. Haas and W. H. Montelius, Mount Carmel, try square.

Trade Mark.

James H. Snodgrass, Mifflinburg, carriages and carriage-springs.

A Sudden Death.

On Thursday evening a young man named John Tibbens, residing with his grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Glenn, on Howard street, died very suddenly. John had not complained of feeling unwell, but merely remarking that he would go to bed early started upstairs. He left his trousers downstairs for his grandmother to mend them. When the old lady had completed this work she took the trousers upstairs and imagine her horror to find John lying on the floor cold and dead. He had probably sat down on the bed and from thence fallen on the floor. The cause of his death was doubtless apoplexy. The old lady is nearly frantic because of her grandson's sudden death. The young man's parents reside in Brisbin, Clearfield county, and they, too, will be greatly shocked by the event.

The Official Majorties for Congress.

At length the vexed question of who shall represent the Twentieth district in Congress has been conclusively settled, the following being the official majorities in the six counties and the official majority in the district.

Clinton	for Patton	122
Union	" "	811
Clearfield	"	80
Mifflin	" "	283
		1296
Centre	for Hall	38
Elk	" "	1105
		1143

Patton's majority—153.

Hastings to Cooper.

The following dispatch sent by Col. D. H. Hastings to Thomas V. Cooper is characteristic:

BELLEFONTE, Pa. Nov. 3, 1885.—Hon. Thomas V. Cooper: Hearty congratulations on your matchless management of the campaign. D. H. HASTINGS.

Col. Hastings, who is a friend of Gen. Beaver's, must have felt very happy, for he supplemented his first dispatch with this one:

"There is only one Cooper, one Frazier, one Ettler, one Lockhart, and one Leach. Bless you all. You deserve a crown. D. H. HASTINGS."

—The engine house of the Lehigh Valley mines at Snow Shoe was destroyed by fire on Monday evening, the 1st. The "dinkey" engine was burned.

Death of an Old Lady.

The Millheim *Journal* contains the following obituary remarks concerning Mrs. Rachel Bierly, wife of Anthony Bierly, of Rebersburg. She was 75 years, 8 months and 13 days old, was the daughter of Henry and Margaret Ruhl and was born in York county, Pa., Feb. 8th, 1811, from where she emigrated with some of her relatives to Centre county, when but young. Her parents having died at the old home she was left to the care of others. She grew up to the years of accountability and womanhood and with her associates she was placed under the pastoral care of Rev. Heines, who instructed and received her into full membership of the Evangelical Lutheran church at Rebersburg by the writ of confirmation.

On Dec. 12th, 1830, she united with Mr. Bierly in holy matrimony and was blessed with ten children—two sons and eight daughters. Two of the daughters preceded her to the spirit world while the rest and their father were left to mourn her loss.

For 36 years she was an invalid, suffering from a paralytic stroke. All this time she was speechless and at times suffered excruciating pain. The frequent repetition of paralytic strokes increased her suffering and confined her to her bed where she expired Oct. 21st, 1886. All these many years of suffering she, like Job, manifested great patience and trust in the Providence of God.

Economy in Fuel.

This paragraph from *Good Housekeeping* ought to be printed in good, large, clear type and pasted alongside every stove:

One of the most difficult things to teach is economy in fuel. Nothing seems to satisfy but a continual piling on of coal. As soon as a little gas has been burned off a vigorous shaking and raking out of ashes follows; then the stove filled anew, touching and lifting the covers, which soon become red hot, and the process is repeated from morning till night. Teach that, in order to obtain and secure a good draft the coal ought never to be above the lining, and in this connection I am reminded of another practice, which seems to come to kitchen girls by intuition, or handed down by tradition, that is, to put sadirons, or flatirons, as generally called, on the stove over the hottest fire hours before use; consequently they are ruined, for if once heated to redness will ever after retain heat but a short time, and lose their smoothness, too. I would rather lend almost anything else to a neighbor than a flatiron. In ironing have two holders to use alternately, thereby lessening the heat of the hand and incurring a greater degree of comfort.

—The Altoona *Tribune*, Saturday said: "The project of a building for the Young Men's Christion association of this city, to which we have recently had occasion to refer, we are glad to learn has assumed definite shape. Last night a conference of our citizens was held in the Logan house parlor and, after consultation respecting the necessity of and feasibility of erecting a commodious building adapted to the needs of the young men of our city, unanimously agreed that the project should be carried out. It was decided that $35,000 was needed to purchase the ground and erect a suitable building and that subscriptions should be binding when $20,000 had been pledged. Steps were then taken to secure subscriptions on this basis, and from those present and persons who had previously given their pledges a fair start was made." Cannot Bellefonte do as well?

—Chairman John T. Johnston, who conducted the campaign in this county, deserves the praise of all Republicans for the skill he exhibited in the management of every detail. Mr. Johnston is one of the most ardent Republicans in this county and at the same time is wise and conservative. Doubtless, with the proper assistance, he could have achieved yet more gratifying results in reducing the Democratic majority and even electing a portion of the county ticket. We feel confident that the management of the Republican party could not have been placed in wiser hands.

Salting the Farmers.

We notice by an exchange that parties are working a new swindling racket on the farmers of a neighboring county. They drive up to a farm house and give the farmer a big game talk about the high price paid for groceries. A barrel or two of sugar is taken from the wagon and offered for one-third of the regular price. The farmer bites, buys a barrel, and in two or three days discoveres that he purchased salt. A few pounds of sugar covers the deception.—*Franklin Repository.*

—Thomas Cryan, Esq., formerly of Snow Shoe, now occupies his beautiful house on East Presqueisle street, Philipsburg, it having been occupied by Dr. Biglow until Wednesday. The Doctor has moved to the Hoover property on the corner above, while Mr. Hoover has moved his family into the house formerly occupied by Mr. Kemp on Ninth street, that borough.

—Jacob Spotts of Unionville, seems to be the boss wood hauler of the county. He brings great loads of wood to town, and dont stop working for wet weather. He is a first class fellow, and can take a joke as well as talk seriously.

I take pleasure in stating that I have known Ely's Cream Balm for more than fifty years, and have sold it during that time both in Binghamton and Montrose. I consider it the safest and best catarrh remedy in the market.—S J. Sparkes, Druggist, Montrose, Pa.

I suffered for more than ten years with that dreadful disease catarrh, and used every available medicine which was recommended to me. I cannot thank you enough for the relief which your Cream Balm has afforded me.—Emanuel Meyers, Winfield L. I.

—The Lutheran church building at Rebersburg is to be sold and a new one erected. The sale will occur on the 13th inst. This looks like prosperity in that congregation.

An Enterprising Reliable House—J. ZELLER & SON can always be relied upon, not only to carry in stock the best of everything, but to secure the agency for such articles as have well known merit, and are popular with the people, thereby sustaining the reputation of being always enterprising, and ever reliable. Having secured the Agency for the celebrated Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will sell it on a positive guarantee. It will surely cure any and every affection of the Throat, Lungs, and Chest, and to show our confidence, we invite you to call and get a Trial Bottle Free.

—A squad of the Salvation Army made a brief visit to Philipsburg the other day, but hurried away again.

It is estimated that there are one hundred thousand sufferers from hay fever in the United States; a number about four times greater than the regular standing army. This number could be reduced to a mere regiment if all would resort to Ely's Cream Balm.

—Drs. Hafer & Boardner, dentists, have dissolved partnership.

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—The poetry in the *Centre Democrat* is truly heart-rending.

If you would enjoy your dinner and are prevented by Dyspepsia, use Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets. They are a positive cure for Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Flatulency and Constipation. We guarantee them. 25 and 50 cents. WALTER W. BAYARD.

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—Patton's majority for Congress is 153.

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"Rev. James M. Rollins,
"Pastor M. E. Church, So. Fairfield, Va."

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"OVID G. SPARKS,
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Local Department.

—The stylish, graceful Bellefonte girls
Don't object to this bad weather,
But through the streets they promenade,
As gay as ostrich feather.
Their rosy cheeks and laughing eyes
Are really just too "taking,"
And he who would win one of them
Had better be a-waking.

—Williamsport has a chrysanthemum show.

—Steam heat is being put in Frank Stover's residence.

—The Soldiers' monument at Wellsboro will be unveiled on the 18th inst.

—It is presumed that the window of the *Watchman* office will be repaired soon.

—An entirely new passenger coach was attached to the 9.32 train Monday morning.

—All who attended the entertainment given by Dr. Peebles, Monday evening, were pleased.

—Mr. S. L. Stover and family moved Tuesday, into their new house on Willow Bank street.

—The editor of the Clearfield *Democrat* is named John F. Short. We hope he is never short of funds.

—Work at the state reformatory at Huntingdon has been almost entirely suspended for the winter.

—The W. C. T. U. will meet this week on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock instead of 4 o'clock as heretofore.

—There was an arrival at the Presbyterian parsonage on Sunday, Mrs. Durbin Gray becoming the mother of a son.

—A Bellefonte girl was heard to remark Monday morning that a sleigh ride once a week is as enjoyable as ice cream every night.

—A meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held next Friday evening to elect officers for the ensuing year.

—A very large number of strangers linger in the hospitable homes of this pleasant town, loth to leave despite the advent of cold weather.

—We understand that parties have rented the Planing Mill Dam for the purpose of establishing an ice rink. Full particulars will be given hereafter.

—The electric lights in A. C. Moyer & Bros. store have been changed and now look very pretty when illuminated at night. There are four burners to each globe.

—The entertainment of "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" Saturday evening attracted an excellent audience. The play was rendered better than ever before in Bellefonte.

—The steam saw mill of Felty Younker, situated about three miles beyond Scalp Level, Cambria county, was destroyed by fire at an early hour on Friday morning. Loss about $1,000.

—Now that the statue of Liberty is in position and dedicated it is found difficult to light it. Perhaps if they send for Mr. Green, of this place, he can give them a point or two which they will find of value.

—Slang is nothing more nor less than a cheap substitute for wit. The person who cannot be witty in other ways is the one who indulges in slang. On the other hand, the really witty person seldom resorts to it.

—During the early part of the year the apples offered for sale seemed to be of a very poor quality. Now, however, fruit of a better quality is brought to town. Some of the apples seem to be very superior.

—In most places where the snow fell on Sunday it is recorded that it melted at once. This indicates that the temperature here was colder, as the very small amount of snow which fell in Bellefonte melted very slowly.

—Now that the pavements are becoming slippery, people should observe the strictest caution in walking. It is better to go slow than to fall and probably seriously injure oneself for life. Every winter one or more accidents of this kind occur. Perhaps with proper care all of them can be avoided.

—Warren Burnside created a decided sensation on Sunday, appearing as he did in new trousers, vest and overcoat. He was as proud as a peacock with plumage spread. Mr. Drummond gave him the above articles of clothing and Mr. Brouse added a red handkerchief. The *out ensemble* was striking.

—Sealskin wraps will hold their own this winter, remarks the Williamsport *Banner*. Permit us to add also that, when on the street they will hold some else's "own," perhaps the sweetest little miss in town. There are immense possibilities of preciousness in the material which the Bellefonte maiden's sealskin sacque will hold.

—The election judges of this Congressional and Senatorial district met in Bellefonte Tuesday to canvass the vote. We believe that J. Kyle McFarlane looks after Gen. Patton's interests in Centre county and C. M. Bower, Esq., performs the same duty for W. W. Betts. Considering the circumstances, the duty of the former is the more responsible

All is Quiet.

Notwithstanding the quiet, J. A. Finkbinder says he has recovered from the effects of his ill treatment by the Republicans. Indeed, he didn't think the treatment was at all severe. Mr. Finkbinder is a level-headed gentleman and can take "picters" with the next one.

Desiring to dissipate the quiet and inactivity of the day, we stepped in to Mr. Richards' jewelrey store and noticed quite a stir there. The ceiling has been beautifully papered in handsome design. The counters have been artistically polished and grained and everything looks tasteful and new.

People are now talking about natural gas. They say that gas will be bored for in this vicinity with strong hopes of striking it. If not, it will be brought all the way from Pittsburg and Bellefonte will have the benefits of that new element for heating, cooking and lighting Why not? Enough natural gas is being wasted to light all Pennsylvania and some to spare. Geologists say that natural gas can be found in this vicinity and geologists ought to know that much, even if they cannot throw any certain light on the origin and rules in regard to earthquakes.

The Governor-elect of Pennsylvania is having a quiet, easy time of it just now. Naturally, he worked pretty hard during the campaign and if he was anything like us he must have been slightly excited over the prospects of becoming Governor. Now he will dispatch business lively before he moves to the Executive mansion in Harrisburg. We will be exceedingly sorry to part with him as a citizen even for a few years, but will be proud to have Bellefonte's first citizen in such a responsible place, and where so much good can be done.

The Advent of Winter.

We do not believe that the present cold "snap" means that winter is here. It is our belief that there will be periods of moderate weather before settled cold weather is ushered in. But the present weather is the kind which is desired by some while others seem to regret it. The farmer, in some instances, has been compelled to resow his wheat because the fly has attacked and injured it in its early growth. He believes that cold weather will destroy the fly and save his wheat. He also wants rain and melting snow to fill his cisterns. The merchant, too, says that cold weather will give a new impetus to trade.

Strong considerations also favor a continuance of moderate weather. As all know, a vast amount of building operations is in progress hereabouts The school house is to finished, the Roman Catholic church edifice is in progress of advancement, two furnaces are to be erected, the glass works structure is going forward rapidly. These cannot make much progress in extreme cold weather Therefore we can conclude that a few days of cold weather followed by several weeks of moderate temperature will be just what we will need and probably what a kind Providence will vouchsafe to give us. But whatever the weather may be it will be for the best.

Death of Robert Stewart.

The Clearfield *Republican* was called last week to publish the death of Robert Stewart, of Gulic township, the oldest resident of Clearfield county, and perhaps the oldest in the State. His death occurred at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. Joseph McCullough, on Monday evening, October 25th, aged 105 years, 7 months and 21 days. He was born in county Donegal, Ireland, March 31st, 1781. While in the land of his birth Mr. Stewart was engaged in farming occupation. In the year 1825, when in his 44th year, he came to this country. He spent several years in the city of Philadelphia and vicinity and then came to Centre county, landing first near Bellefonte and from there he moved to Philipsburg. After remaining there for some time he moved to Amesville, Clearfield county. In 1835 he entered Clearfield county for the second time, settling at the place where he died, near Ramey, Clearfield county, where he remained until he was 85 or 86 years of age, when he went to live with his son-in-law, Mr. McCullough, and where he made his home until he died.

The New Congressman.

A pleasing event occurred in Curwensville, Clearfield county, Friday evening. The Republican and Democratic friends of Gen. John Patton, the congressman-elect, engaged in a very enthusiastic demonstration in his honor. The number of strangers in the quiet town was very large, delegations on special trains arriving quite numerously. Private residences were brilliantly illuminated. One hundred and fifty three salutes were fired in honor of his official majority in the district. Gen. Patton delivered an address, thanking them for their hearty support, the special honor they paid him on this occasion and pledging himself to support their interests and to use his influence to further the protection of American industries

Other speakers were R. D. Swoope, William C. Arnold, A. E. Patton and Colonel Edward A. Irwin. The affair was conducted throughout with the best of feeling.

—Is your sleigh ready for use?

Mr. Milliken Explains Pennsylvania Railroad Policy.

On Thursday evening of last week, Broker John Taylor, of London, appeared before the 200 or 300 persons present in Association Hall, Philadelphia, to give his views in regard to the policy of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. He represented the English stockholders of the railroad, who own more stock than is owned in Philadelphia. His complaint was that the earnings of the road are not divided among the stockholders to whom they belong as a matter of right. Mr. James Milliken, of this place, replied to Mr. Taylor. He said: "There are two complaints which we have always heard from English stockholders. One was that we water our stock, but Mr. Taylor is not here to complain of that. His complaint is that the road does not pay enough to stockholders. Mr. Taylor does not consider the difficulties which exist here with which the English railroads do not have to contend. The road passes through twelve different States, each with varying laws, and there is a sharp competition for traffic. In view of this the management must be conservative. Even Mr. Taylor does not contend that the surplus he wants divided is all cash. It has largely gone into betterments, which will not make the road earn any more, but which adds to the security against accident. There is a constant changing in construction and conditions change, as in the oil traffic, which, after the railroads made expensive preparations to carry it in tank cars, is now being piped. A reserved fund must be kept to meet unexpected expenses."

Don't Go West.

We fail to understand why there is such an anxiety among the people to go to the West. In nine instances in ten it proves to be a disadvantage to the person who moves. The man who goes there and prospers makes a great parade of the fact and thus lures many others to follow his example; but they do not prosper. We are sorry to hear so many citizens of Centre county talking of such a venture. If you are doing well here do not move to the West. Many men who believe that they are not doing well are really doing so, only they believe they can do better in the West, when really they cannot. Centre county is the most salubrious place in the world in which to live, and for beauty of location it cannot be surpassed. Remain here; keep your health, and be happy.

Accident to a Lady.

Mrs. Levi Dixon, of Roland, met with a painful and serious accident on Friday last. She was visiting her sister Mrs. Ambrose McMullen, of Hecla Furnace. In passing through the house she mistook the cellar door for the one leading into the hall and was precipitated headforemost down a long flight of steps. She was picked up in an unconscious condition. Her injuries consist of a compound facture of the fore arm and her head and face badly contused.

—A dispatch records the finding, last week, of the dead body of Charles Menner in an isolated spot twenty miles from Uvalde, Texas. By his side was an empty revolver and the bullet had been fired into his heart. The man was for a long time editor of the Honesdale, Pa., *Herald* and a prominent Democratic politician. He had afterwards gone to New Jersey where he lost his money. It is supposed that the loss of his money preyed on his mind and he went to this far distant place to kill himself. He supposed that his friends would never hear of his sad death, but would give him up as lost. Articles on his person identified him as Charles Menner and also as a member of both the Masonic and Odd Fellow fraternities.

—Remember that on the 18th inst. will occur the dedication of the Grand Army hall at Stormstown. Cyrus Hunter is taking an active part in the arrangements for the event, and whatever he undertakes to do will be well and thoroughly done. There will be a camp fire and a bean bake. Addresses will be delivered by prominent persons, and Mr. Hunter authorizes us to say that Mr. E. T. Tuten, editor of the Bellefonte REPUBLICAN, will be among the guests. All who can do so should attend as the affair will be more than ordinarily enjoyable.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Bellefonte, Centre Co., Pa., November 8, 1886:

Mrs. Aggie E. Benner, R. N. Bell, Victor Bosler, Mr. Blake, W. I. Furst, Martin C. Garvey, George Iodon, James Knoffsinger, Frank Murran, F. V. Nixon, Miss S. B. Hartman, John M. Rankin,, Mrs. Annie Thompson, Oscar Walter William Walters.

Persons inquiring for letters named in the above list will please say advertised.

JAS. H. DOBBINS, P. M.

—Archbishop Ryan, in carrying out the decrees of the recent Council of Baltimore, says an exchange, has enjoined the priests in this diocese from performing marriage ceremonies in the evening He insists that weddings in church must take place with a nuptial mass, or, failing in that, as early in the afternoon as possible. Under none but the most urgent circumstances will a marriage ceremony be allowed to take place after sun down.

Boys, Don't Do It.

We don't like to lecture the boys. It's not very many years ago that we were a boy and we know how we hated lecturers. Our inclination was to laugh in the lecturer's face, and that is just what we would do unless the lecture came from some one we respected very much. But, boys and young men who attend entertainments in Humes' Hall, some people complain that you are guilty of throwing peanut shells from the gallery down upon the devoted heads of the people who occupy seats beneath, and not only throw peanut shells down, but do something much worse. We are absolutely told (though of course we don't believe it) that you have been known to spit in the same direction in which you threw the shells. No, until we see a boy doing such a horribly thing can we believe that a Bellefonte boy can be guilty of it. Such a creature is unworthy the name of boy, and deserves no better fate than to be taken up by his weather-beam end and thrown into the pig-sty among the swine. We imagine, though, that even a respectable hog would blush to keep company with such a creature. Boys, if you value your self-respect, never perpetrate such a trick.

A Boggs Township School Teacher Figures it Down Fine.

One of the school teachers now engaged in Boggs township sent to a Bellefonte hardware store for some stovepipe. The order was for pipe 15 inches in circumference and 4,7745 inches in diameter. It was manifest when the order was received that the teacher was remarkably particular. Any one must be who would figure out the diameter of a stove pipe to the fifth decimal place, and so the firm, after serious consultation, gave the duty of selecting the pipe to the champion arithmetician in the house, who happened to be Professor Henry Haupt. He succeeded, in marvelously quick time, in selecting pipe which will not vary a hair's-breadth from the prescribed dimensions. We have no doubt that the stove pipe fits perfectly and there will be no swearing when it is put up.

—The Supreme Court of Mississippi, on Monday, decided upon what is commonly called the prohibition or local option case, Judge Campbell delivering the opinion. An elaborate argument had been made by the Hon. Thomas A. Wood against the validity of the statute. The objections urged were that it was delegative of legislative power to an electoral body; that the feature ultimately making twenty-five freeholders the arbiters vested in them legislative power, and made them by a property qualification an exclusive circle; that the law was to take effect only upon a contingent event in the future—that is, a vote by a majority for prohibition—and that it allowed only citizens of Mississippi to sell liquor and excluded the citizens of other States. The Court considered and rejected each objection as unsound, and declared the statute constitutional as a valid exercise of the police power of the State.

—The hearing in the habeas corpus case of the Commonwealth against Joseph McDonald, John Good, John Lamer, and Daniel A. Miller, charged with laying an obstruction on the Cresson & Clearfied Railroad, was to have taken place on Monday at 1 o'clock, before Judge Johnson, at Ebensburg but Judge refused to grant them a hearing, and committed them to jail in default of $1,000 bail each for their appearance at the December Sessions. The Court also made an order in their case that if the prisoners should be successful in securing bail that they would be heard on Friday, the 12th inst., and if the bail was satisfactory would be permitted to go out of jail until court in December. The friends of the prisoners expect to go to Ebensburg on that day and enter into a recognizance for their appearance at court.

—The Pullman Palace Car Company is building eighteen cars for use on the Pennsylvania lines' limited service. Ten of these cars are fourteen-berth sleepers four combination and four dining-room cars. They are to be furnished with bath rooms and barber shops. In addition to the dining-room service, each of the cars will have buffet service, in order that passengers may have choice of American and European styles of living. These cars will be the most expensive and best appointed and in all particulars the most elegant ever turned out by the Pullman Company. They will be ready for the road early in the coming year.

Honor to that which Merits Honor.

The above is only an adaptation of "Honor to whom honor is due." In the DAILY NEWS of Tuesday we referred to what we termed a "new arrangement of the *electric* light" in A. C. Moyer & Bros' store. The fact is that the new arrangement is of *gas* instead of electricity. The gas company is now manufacturing an excellent quality of gas and has reduced that illuminating element to a very reasonable price. Gas continues to maintain its hold upon the affection of the people, and as a light is reliable and excellent.

—Frank Glasgow, of Osceola Mills, has been granted a patent for an electric alarm for time-pieces.

—Since the great victory which the Republicans have achieved in this State Joe W. Furey, editor of the *Democrat*, of Lock Haven, has been afflicted with a settled melancholy, a dreary foreboding of approaching doom. This depression of spirit lends a sad and gloomy turn to all his writings and on Saturday morning he uttered the following lamentation: "This morning opened rather gloomy. The clouds looked dark and portentious." We are sorry that the outlook for our friend Joe is so exceedingly sad. Cheer up; every cloud has its silver lining, and there is a ray of light for you even in the fact that your Black candidate for Governor was so effectually beaten, and that Wolfe accomplished so little for your relief.

—A few nights ago a large black bear was seen by two men who were riding in a conveyance along the Philipsburg pike two miles south of Sandy Ridge. The light of the moon enabled them to see the monster plainly. Their attention was first directed to it by the fact that their horse stopped and refused to go forward, trembling with fright. The men were not armed and were afraid to show fight. The bear advanced as far as as the wheels of the vehicle when it, too, seemed to be overcome with fright and retreated again into the forest. It is needless to say that the travelers were greatly relieved.

—The new hall of the Grand Army Post at Stormstown will be dedicated on the 18th instant. A grand camp fire, bean bake, speeches, etc., will be the programme, which will be carried out with more than usual care and completeness. The enjoyment will be great The affair will be participated in by a large number of people from all parts of the county. The new hall is owned by the Post and is entirely free from debt. It is well adapted to the use of the Post. We have no doubt that the affair will be a grand success.

—John A. Erb, of Philipsburg this county is on trial in the United States district Court, on a charge of appropriating pension money. Erb's grandmother, a very old lady, came into possession of $1200 pension money two years ago, because of services rendered by her husband during the war. She gave the money to Erb to put in the bank in his own name which he did. It is now alleged that he drew the money out at various times in small sums and spent it in having a good time.

—Doubtless, the sudden change in the weather Saturday night, the fierce winds of Sunday morning and the dampness under foot deterred some persons from going out of their homes, but, so far as we are aware, the churches had large congregations and the services were edifying. In the Y. M. C. A. rooms the attendance was unexpectedly large and Rev. D. S. Monroe, D. D., in his delightful talk on the stated topic, "From Failure to Success," held the undivided attention of the auditors.

—John Tibbens, the boy who died so suddenly on Thursday evening, was a pupil in the High School of this place, and was an unusually exemplary lad. A very devoted affection existed between him and his two brothers and a sister who also lived with their grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Glenn. The children came here from Brisbin for the special purpose of attending our excellent borough schools. These circumstances combine to add to the regret and sorrow of the surviving friends.

—The National Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, will assemble in twentieth annual session is Music Fund Hall, Philadelphia, on Wednesday, Nov. 10, at 11:20 a. m. The regular sessions will continue about eight days and will be private. Distinguished agriculturists from every State and Territory in the Union and from Canada and Nova Scotia will be present, and several thousand visitors from Pennsylvania and adjoining States will attend the sessions.

—The managers of the Home for Orphan and Friendless Children at Huntingdon, Pa., have adopted a novel expedient to collect money to defray the $800 indebtedness of that institution. The *Journal*, of that town, this week, circulated in each issue of the paper a statement of the objects and needs of the institution together with envelopes in which a contributor can place his Thanksgiving offering and send it through the mail.

—Saturday afternon seemed somewhat sad, two funerals occurring at that time. The first was that of the late Mr. Elisha B. Reynolds' which occurred from the Episcopal church at 3 o'clock, and the second that of the late John Tibbens, just one hour later. Rain fell most of the afternoon as if the elements would mingle their tearful sympathy with that of the stricken relatives.

—Andrew Steiner, of Myerstown, Pa., is a famous hunter. He and several other almost equally skillful Nimrods have their hunting ground in this county and also in Blair, Clearfield and Huntingdon counties—a wilderness stretching over a hundred miles. Among his fellow hunters are Joe Foreman and John Funk, of Philipsburg; and Jacob Test, Mack McCauslin and George Test.

Personal Pencilings.

Mr. Jack Ewing, of Snow Shoe, tarried in Bellefonte Tuesday.

Mr. Thompson, of Fillmore, was a visitor in Bellefonte Tuesday.

Mr. Samuel Reynolds, of Lancaster, spent Saturday and Sunday in this place.

Mr. James Milliken, of this place, is now in Philadelphia at the Continental Hotel.

Mr. Aikens, of Bunnell & Aikens, departed for Lewistown on Monday evening.

Joe. W. Furey paid his weekly visit to Bellefonte on Saturday, departing Monday morning.

Miss Maggie Johnson, one of Boalsburg's fair young ladies, spent part of Tuesday in town.

The mother of Mr. H. K. Hicks, from Chester county, is at present visiting her son, on Linn street.

Landlord Shaffer, of Spring Mills, was an arrival on the morning train from that direction, on Tuesday.

Mr. Ed. Richards is at present in Philadelphia, having accepted a position in a jewelry store in that city.

Harvey Corman, formerly of Rebersburg and now living in Valley Falls, Kansas, is at present in the county.

Mrs. Emmons, the celebrated temperance lecturer, passed through Bellefonte Friday a. m., going west over the Bald Eagle Railroad.

Burgess Harry Hale has been on a hunting expedition since the snow fell. He says the "beautiful" is six inches deep some places in the mountains.

Dr. H. K. Hoy departed for New York City on Friday evening. He will spend the winter in that city, perfecting himself in some professional psecialties.

Mrs. Dale, wife of Clement Dale, Esq., returned from Philadelphia Thursday evening with her baby boy. She has been in that city about four weeks.

Dr. George Atherton, President of Pennsylvania State College, and Prof. H. Y. McKee, of the same institution, were arrivals in town Wednesday morning.

Among the guests at the Brockerhoff House, Thursday night, were Hon. Louis E. Atkinson, congressman-elect of the 18th District, Pa., and Col. J. K. Robinson, of Patterson, Pa.

Dr Bell, of Osceola called on Friday. By the way, we notice that Dr. Bell, in connection with Drs. Allport and Hender son of Philipsburg, recently performed a difficult but successful surgical operation.

Irvin Delaney, of Warriors-mark, was in Bellefonte on Saturday and from here he went to the home of his brother, Mr. John Delaney, in Milesburg. Mr. Irvin Delaney formerly lived in this county, but his business interests induced him to move to Warriors-mark.

—We learn with much regret that the family of Mr. Joe W. Furey on Tuesday moved to Lock Haven. Mr. Furey has lived in this vicinity nearly all his life with but slight intermissions of absence and everybody misses him. We also will greatly miss his agreeable wife and more than ordinarily bright family of children. But though they will live twenty-five miles distant they will not be forgotten by our people, and we hope that the friendships they make in Lock Haven may be equally cordial and agreeable.

—Chairman Rynder, of the Greenback party, came to Bellefonte on Monday and talked as lively as he usually does. He was not successful in his recent campaign. He was not running for success, but for PRINCIPLE—spelled in capital letters. He is going to New York and will see Labor's Light, Henry George. He expects to compell Mr. George to renounce his free trade views, and then he thinks all will be rosy. Hurrah! For Rynder! The people will hear from him again.

—A man was seen stealing chickens from Mrs. Reuben Valentine last Saturday evening. Bond Fisher saw him and gave him the benefit of several well-directed stones. Now, it is suggested that if the fellow was badly hurt that he can prosecute Bond Fisher for stone throwing. Let us hear from him at once.

OUR POET'S CONTRIBUTION.

—It came on Sunday morning—
The snow, so pure and white—
Making us think that autumn
Had taken its last flight.

And then again next morning
The ground was white with snow,
And the boys brought out their sleds
To see how they would go.

Thus every change of season
Brings happiness to some—
Farewell then to those that go,
Greeting to those that come.

—The campaign poet's days are o'er,
He is stretched out upon the floor—
With rhythmic words he sported.
They swelled up Fiedler's pretty head
And Bible's face was flushed quite red
By the Muses that they courted.

Let them take a good long rest,
Very well they've stood the test—
Don't let the cold get at them.
Preserve them carefully for a year,
Upon their forms let fall a tear;
They will come forth next Autumn.

MARRIED.

WOOMER—WEAVER.—At Daniel Garman's Hotel, Bellefonte, October 30, 1886, by Jno. B. Linn, Esq., Mr. A. M. Woomer, of Boggs Township, and Mary A. Weaver, of Snow Shoe.